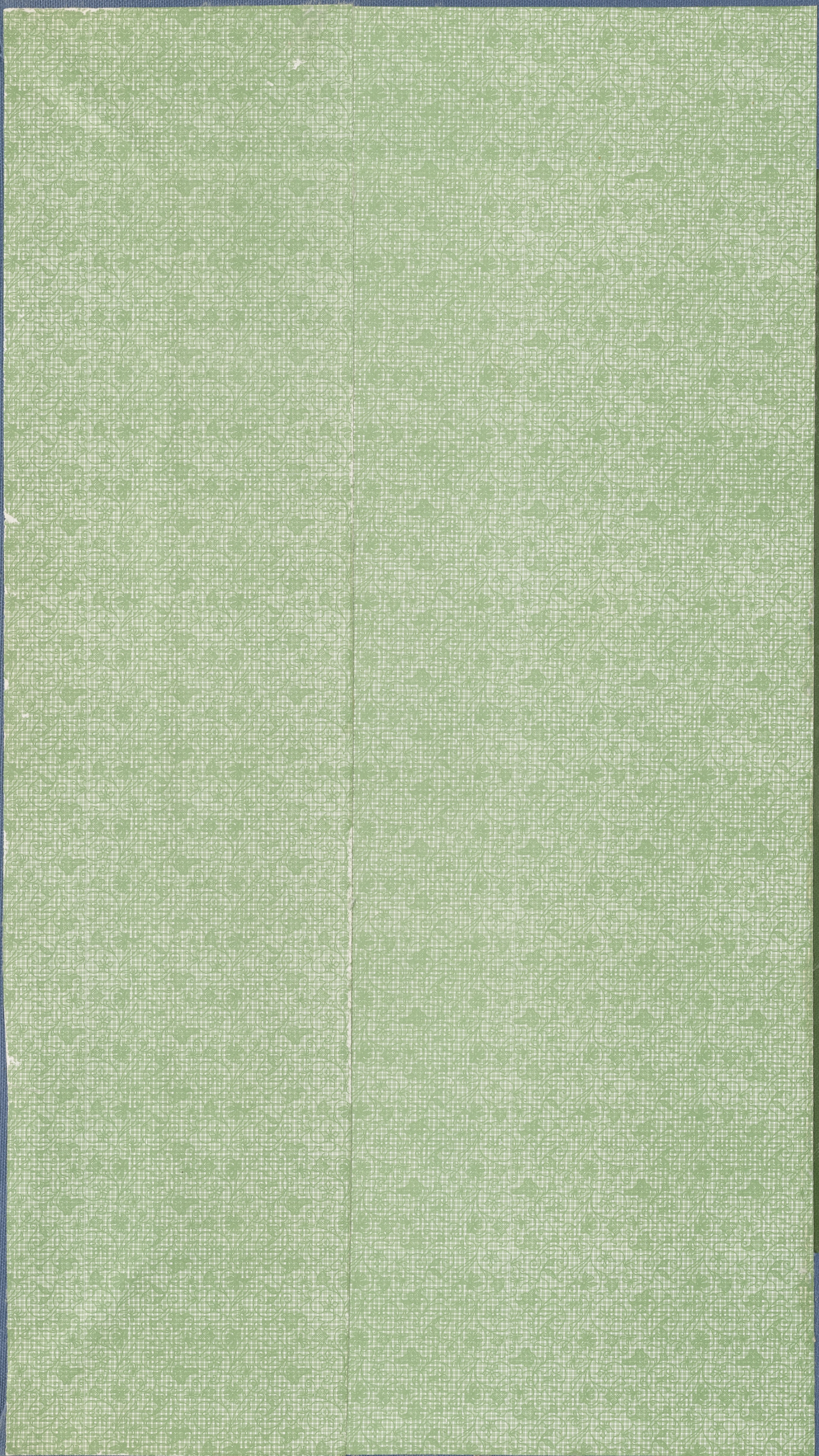


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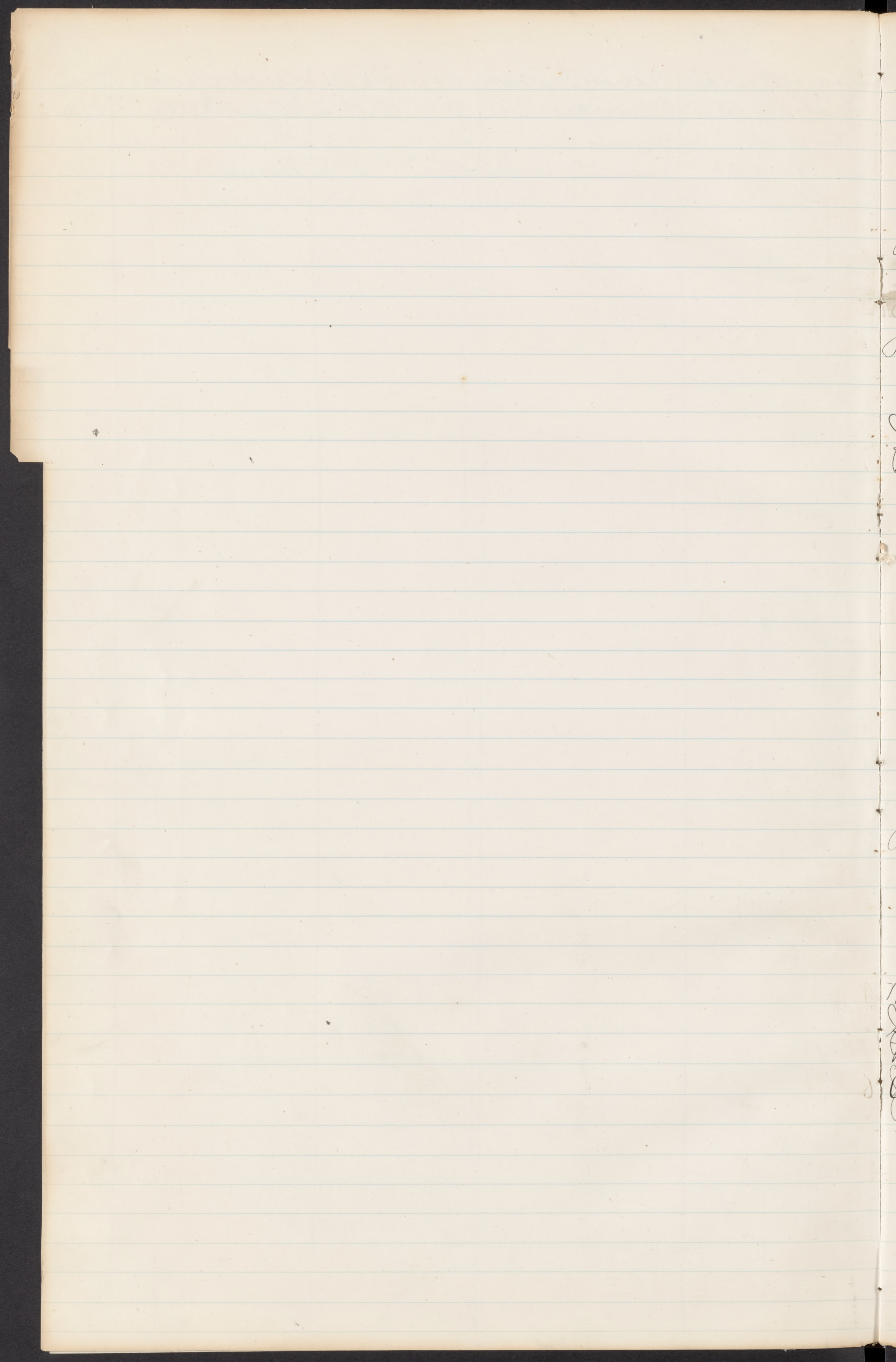
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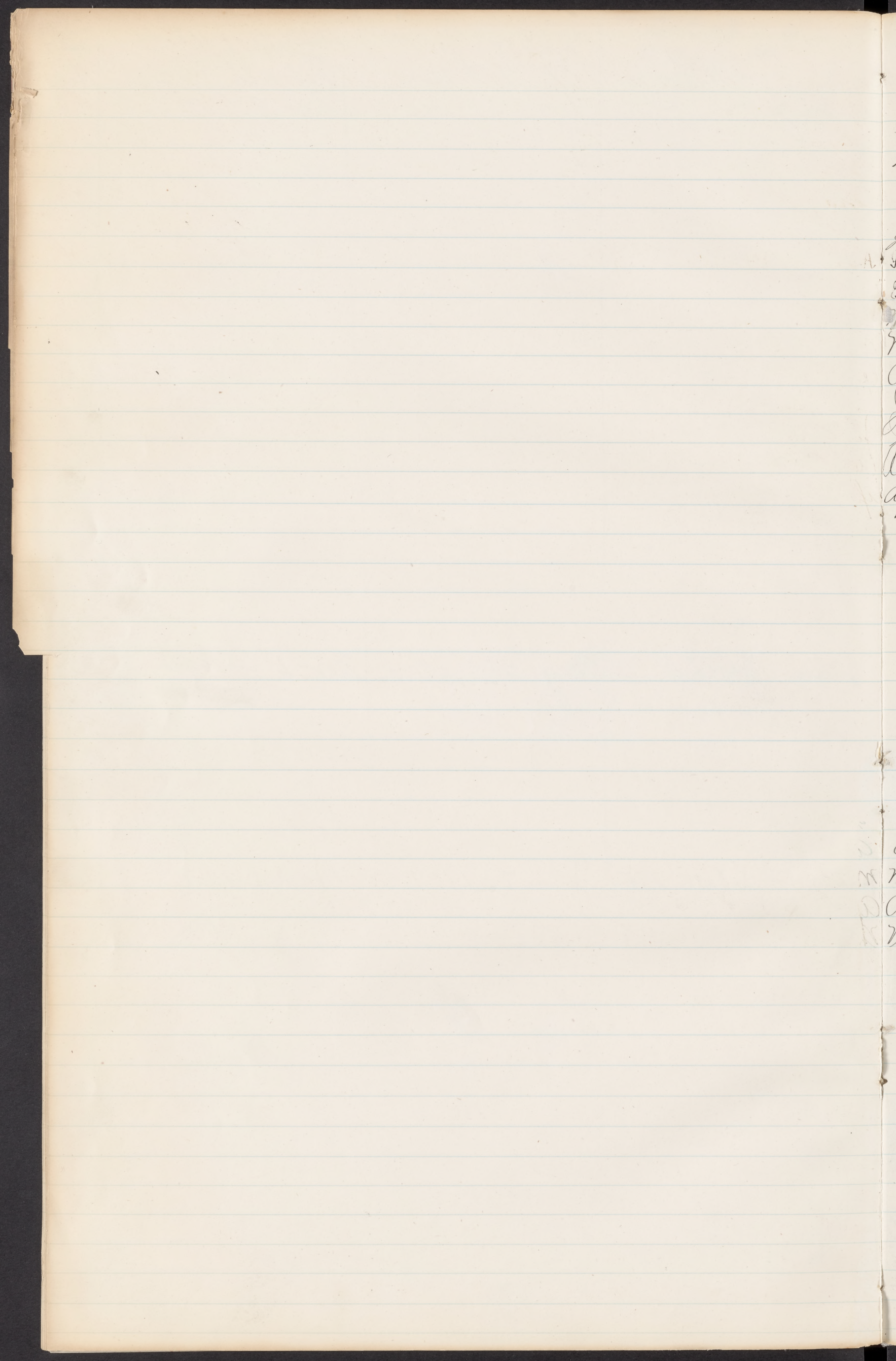
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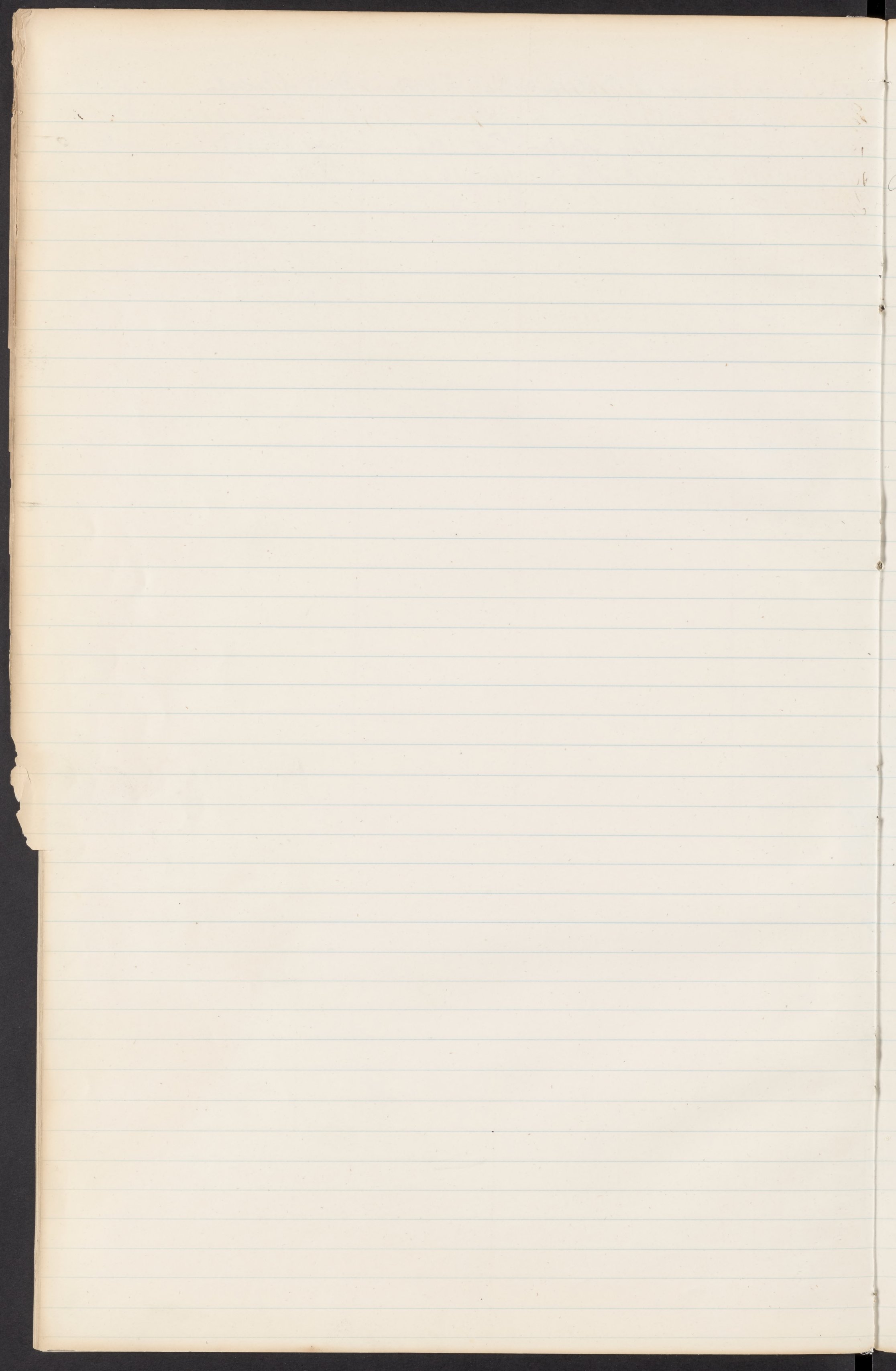
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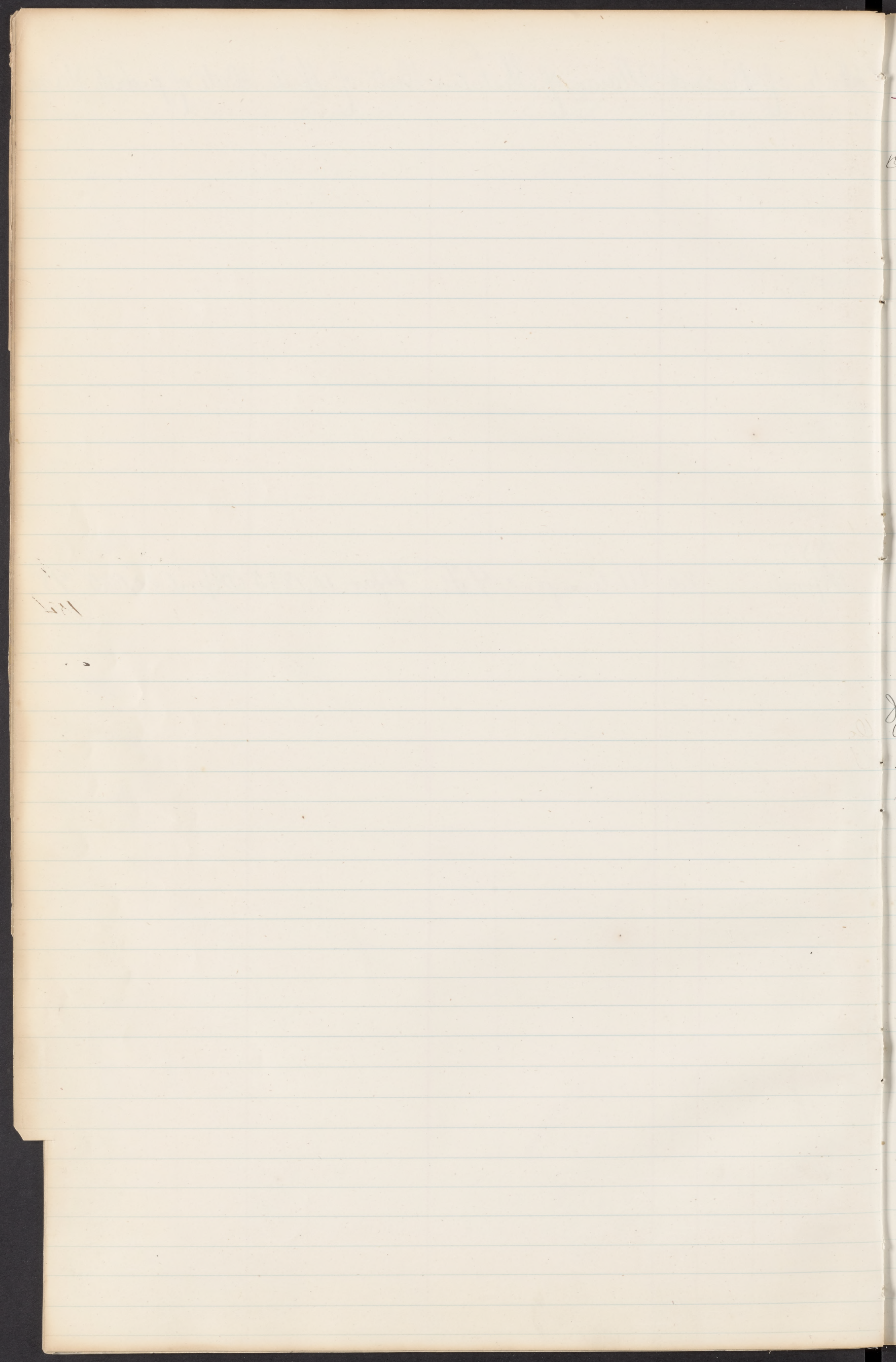
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Will of John Wallace, deceased

James W. Gill

Will

In the name of God Amen—
I James W. Gill, at present residing
in the House of D. D. Garrison near the Town of
Independence, in the County of Inyo, State of
California, being afflicted by sickness, in full
possession of my mind and memory, and
knowing the uncertainty of this life, and
desirous to dispose of my worldly affairs,
I do ordain this my last Will and
Testament as follows—

I give and bequeath all my personal
Estate, goods, and Chattels, hereinafter
more particularly described, and nam-
ed, to my beloved wife Elizabeth, for
her sole use and benefit, during her life
time, and any, and all, that may remain
undisposed of, at her death. I hereby bequeath
to my Son by my last Marriage Mrs. Carter

Whereas, a portion of my personal property
obtained by my last Marriage, my wife
having worked hard for the same, I hereby
distinctly declare, that I do not give or bequeath
anything, to the Children of either of my two former
Marriages, but bequeath all my property—
whether in money, obligations or Chattels, to

Wallace of the County
my last will & testa-

personal to my beloved

Wallace Executrix of
required of her as such executrix
I have full confidence
them—

December 2, 1871

at the place
our presence and by
attested by us subscribing
and of each other

L. P.

of witnesses

Independence

2^d 1872

California

County Recorder

my wife Elizabeth, to the exclusion of every
one else otherwise entitled to the same.

My said property consists of household
furniture, four horses, and two sets—
double harness, and four horse wagon
One Cow and pig, also and especially
a moneyed obligation from William
O. Stairs to my wife Elizabeth =

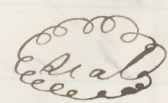
Said obligation having been obtained by
decree of the Probate Court, of the Great Salt
Lake City, County of Salt Lake in the
Territory of Utah, before our marriage calling
for one thousand dollars Gold Coin, to be
paid in four annual installments, one
installment having been received and all
the others remaining unpaid, namely seven
hundred and fifty dollars =

I appoint my beloved wife Elizabeth
the sole executrix of this my last will and
testament to do as she may wish without
giving Bonds.

I hereby revoke all wills heretofore made.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my
name and affixed my Seal this tenth day
of October A.D. 1867, at the residence and
place before written in the State of California

(Signed)

James H. Gil 

Will of John Wallace, deceased

The Above written instrument was subscribed
by James H. Pitt in our presence and acknowledged
by him to each of us, and he at the
same time published and declared, the
above instrument, to be his last
will and testament, and we at the Testators
request in his presence and in each others
presence, have signed our names as witnesses
thereto, together with our places of residence.
The word - "to my wife and"
having been erased before
signing - also the words
"jointly" and word "Elizabetta"
interlined

Filed and Recorded April 16th 1868
J. P. Moffat
Clerk
Probate Court

Wallace of the County
my last will & testa-

personal to my beloved

Wallace Executrix of
required of her as such executrix
I have full confidence

of December A. D. 1871

attested by us subscribing
for and of each other

new of witnesses
Independence

2^d 1872 -

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Will of John Wallace, deceased
 dated Dec. 25th 1871 -

In the name of God Amen. I John Wallace of the County
 of Inyo State of California make this my last will & testa-
 ment -

1st I give all my property both real and personal to my beloved
 wife Catharine Wallace -

2^d I appoint my wife the said Catharine Wallace Executrix of
 this my last will, and no bonds are to be required of her as such executrix

3^d I make no provision for my children as I have full confidence
 that their mother will provide suitably for them -

Witness my hand and Seal this 25th day of December A. D. 1871 -

John Wallace

L. P.

Signed by the testator John Wallace in our presence and by
 his request and by his express direction, attested by us subscribing
 our names hereto in presence of testator and of each other
 at Independence Inyo Co. Cal.

H. A. Clauson

Residence of witnesses
 Independence

P. Reddy

Fisher & Smith

Recorded at request of P. Reddy, April 2^d 1872 -

Marlann Strauss

County Recorder

Will of E. A. de la Mier

Dated Oct. 4th 1870 -

Blanca 4 de Octubre de 1870 -

Estado de California.

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El ^{que} subscribe oriundo de las Provincias Vascongadas de España Cristiano Apostólico Romano, casado con ^{la} Guadalupe Auzá de la Mier. Que hallándose en el Condado de Inyo gravemente enfermo pero en mi entera y sano juicio nombro de primera y única Albacea a mi referida esposa: única legítima y heredera forzosa de cuanto se reconozca ser mio. Este testamento a quien soy toda la estension de la fuerza de la ley no pudiendo solo verificar firmamos este entre varios para su solemnidad

Blanca Inyo leunte 4 de Octubre de 1870 -

E. A. de la Mier

Como Testigo -

Pedro Ruperez

Gabriel Garcia

Filed Nov. 25th A. S. 1870

J. P. Moffat

Clerk

Admitted to Probate and recorded Sept^r. 25th 1872
at 4 O'clock P. M.

M. J. Lammimanstrand

County Recorder

Certificate of Proof of Will

In the matter of the Estate
of

Enrique A. de la Mier, deceased

In the Probate Court of the County
of Inyo, State of California

I John A. Hannah County Judge of the County of Inyo and ex-officio Judge of the Probate Court thereof, do hereby certify that on the 10th day of October 1872 the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of Enrique A. de la Mier, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows: That said Enrique A. de la Mier died on or about the 4th day of October A. S. 1870 in the County of Inyo, State of California, that at the time of his death he was a resident of said County of Inyo, that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said deceased in his life time in the County aforesaid in the presence of Gabriel Garcia, Pedro Ruperez and Como testigo, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also the acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and

declared the same to be his last will and testament and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other, that the said decedent at the time of executing said will as aforesaid, was of the age of Eighteen years and upwards was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, under influence or fraudulent misrepresentations, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate. In witness whereof I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the seal thereof this 10th day of October A. D. 1872

John A. Hannah
County and ex officio Probate Judge

E. L. J.
Clerk

attest

Mrs. Annastrand

Clerk

Recorded Oct. 10th 1872 at 30 min. past 4 P. M.

Mrs. Annastrand

Clerk

Order of Probate of Will

and appointment of Executor -

On the matter of the Estate of } In the Probate Court of the County
Enrique A. de la Mier, deceased } of Inyo, State of California
The Petition of Guadalupe heretofore filed in the above entitled matter praying for admission to probate of a document purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and to be appointed executor of the said estate and that letters testamentary be granted to Petitioner, on the 25th day of September A. D. 1872 came on regularly to be heard after due notice - and due proof being made to the satisfaction of the Court that notice has been given of the time appointed for proving said will and for the hearing of said petition and that citations have been duly issued and served as required by the previous order of this Court, and it appearing to the Court that notice has been given according to law to all parties interested and after examining Gabriel Garcia one of the witnesses produced on behalf of said petitioner, whose testimony has been reduced to writing and filed, from which it appears that said document is the last will and testament of said Enrique A. de la Mier deceased, that it was executed in all particulars as required by law, and the testator was of sound mind at the time of its execution, that said Enrique A. de la Mier died on the 9th day of October 1870, being a resident of the County of Inyo at the time of his death and leaving certain property consisting of mining claims and other property the value of which is unknown

and no objections being made or filed, and said applicant being competent to serve as Executrix - It is ordered that the paper heretofore filed, purporting to be the last will and testament of Enrique A. de la Mier deceased be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Enrique A. de la Mier, deceased that Guadalupe de la Mier be and she is hereby appointed Executrix and that letters testamentary issue therein to the said petitioner upon the giving of the bonds required by law for the faithful execution of the duties of her trust as such Executor in the sum of Two thousand dollars with sufficient sureties to be approved by the Probate Judge, and upon taking the oath as required by law -

October 10th 1872

John A. Hannah

County Judge and ex officio Probate Judge

Recorded Oct. 10th 1872 at 35 min. past 4 - P. M

Murphymanstrand

County Recorder

Will of Joseph L. Laird

May 17th 1872

Know all men by these presents, that I, Joseph L. Laird of Round Valley, Inyo County, State of California, being in full health but of sound and disposing mind and memory, and also being satisfied of the uncertainty of this mortal life, and wishing to leave all my worldly affairs in such a condition as to avoid any unnecessary expense and litigation: do make and declare this my last will: 1st I hereby appoint my Brother John W. P. Laird as sole executor of this my last will, directing my said executor to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses and the legacies hereinafter given out my Estate. 2^d after my just debts and funeral expenses I give to my brother John W. P. Laird all of my ~~horned~~ cattle branded with H on the left hip consisting of about eighty head more or less, also all of my horses branded with X on the left thigh, consisting of about twenty five head more or less; 3^d I give to my brother John W. P. Laird my undivided interest in my favor consisting of one hundred and sixty acres of land on Owens river Round Valley, Inyo County and State of California, and bounded on the north by lands by Charles Wildasin and on the East and South by sage brush land on the west by land owned by John W. P. Laird with all the improvements & appurtenances thereto belonging;

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also my interest, undivided, in a lot of horned cattle branded with Θ on
the right hip, also my undivided interest in a lot of horses branded with
 Γ on left thigh - I witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal the 17th day of May of A. D. One thousand eight hundred and Seventy two
Joseph L. Laird

The above instrument consisting of one sheet was now here subscribed by
Joseph L. Laird the testator in the presence of each of us, and was at
the ^{same} time declared by him to be his last will and testament, and we
at his request sign our names hereto as attesting witnesses -

James M. Short, Sacramento County

R. A. Miles, Sacramento County

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, and State of California

In the matter of the Estate

of

Joseph L. Laird

deceased

John W. P. Laird being duly sworn, deposes
and says, I reside in Inyo County, California, I am the brother of the
said Joseph L. Laird, deceased, he was a resident of Inyo County at and
immediately preceeding the time of his death, he died on or about the six-
teenth day of August A. D. 1872, he has left estate in this County, the in-
strument now shown to me marked as filed in this Court on the ninth
day of December A. D. 1872, purporting to be the last will and testament of
said Joseph L. Laird deceased, was signed by the said Joseph L. Laird,
deceased, in the County of Sacramento, on the seventeenth day of May A.
D. 1872, the day it bears date - I was present and saw him sign said will,
and saw the subscribing witnesses, Ralph A. Miles and James M. Short
sign their names thereto, at the request of said deceased, and said testator
then and there declared to them, the said instrument to be his last will
and testament - Ralph A. Miles and James M. Short the subscribing
witnesses to said Will are not residents are not in this County at this time
I know that said Joseph L. Laird was of sound and disposing mind at the
time of the execution of said will, from the fact that I was intimate with him
from childhood and was with him every day for the space of one month imme-
diately preceeding the time of the execution of the said will and held frequent
conversation with him -

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court
this Eleventh day of January A. D. 1873.

John W. P. Laird

Margaretta Strand

clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California

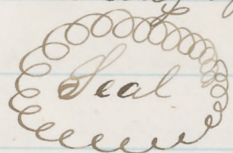
In the matter of the Estate

of

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Joseph L. Laird - deceased -

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

I, John A. Hannah, Probate Judge of said County do hereby certify: That on the 11th day of January A. D. 1873 the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of Joseph L. Laird, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows: That said Joseph L. Laird died on or about the 16th day of August A. D. 1872 in the County of Eldorado State of California - That at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California. That the said annexed will was duly executed by him during his lifetime in the said County of Sacramento, State of California and signed by said testator in the presence of Ralph A. Miles & James M. Short, the subscribing witnesses thereto: also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last will and testament - and the witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other: That said decedent at the time of executing said will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards was of sound and disposing mind & not under restraint, undue influence, or fraudulent misrepresentation nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate - In witness whereof I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof the Eleventh day of January A. D. 1873



John A. Hannah

Probate Judge

Atttest - M. W. Lammstrand

Clerk

Filed January 11th 1873 - M. W. Lammstrand - Clerk -

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the estate
of

Joseph L. Laird - deceased

The Petition of John H. P. Laird, heretofore ^{filed in the above} entitled matter praying for admission to Probate of a document purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and to be appointed executor of the said estate, and that letters testamentary thereon be granted to said petitioner, this day regularly came on to be heard - On reading and filing due proofs of Publication of the order to show cause why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted as aforesaid, and of the notice of the present hearing, and of service of the citation, issued herein by the order of the Court; and it appearing to the

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Court that due notice has been given according to law, and after examining the witnesses in behalf of said Petitioner, whose testimony has been reduced to writing and filed, showing the sanity of the Testator at the period of the alleged execution of said will, and proving the due execution of said will by evidence of the handwriting of said testator, and of the subscribing witnesses to said will, none of said witnesses residing or being present in this County, and no one appearing to oppose and it further appearing from the said testimony that said Joseph L. Laird died on or about the sixteenth day of August A. D. 1872 being at that time a resident of Inyo County, and leaving estate real and personal and that his personal estate is of the value of about one thousand dollars and John W. P. Laird being of lawful age and competent to serve as an executor - It is ordered that the paper heretofore filed, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased that said John W. P. Laird be and he is hereby appointed executor of said estate, and that letters testamentary issue to the said Petitioner upon ^{giving the} bond required by law for the faithful execution of the duties of his trust as such executor, in the sum of Two thousand dollars, and upon taking the oath required by law

John A. Hannah
County Judge and ex-officio
Probate Judge

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the estate

of
Joseph L. Laird, deceased
State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

John W. P. Laird the executor named in the will of Joseph L. Laird, deceased, who has applied for the Probate of said will and for letters testamentary thereon, being duly sworn says I reside in said County and am of the age of twenty one years and upwards - I knew Joseph L. Laird in his life time - He was a resident of this County - He died on or about the sixteenth day of August A. D. 1872 at Sugar Loaf Station, in the County of Eldorado, State of California, being then about twenty six years of age - I am somewhat informed as to his property. He left real estate which is worth as near as I can judge about Two hundred and fifty dollars - There is also personal property (estate) amounting to about one thousand dollars. All of his property as far as I know, is situated in this County

John W. P. Laird

The above testimony of the said applicant, this day given by him in open Court under oath, is reduced to writing and signed by him this Eleventh day of January a.d. 1873

Murmannstrand
Clutz

Filed and Recorded this 11th day of January 1873 at 12 o'clock m -

Murmannstrand
County Recorder
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Will of John Petri

Dated Aug. 29th 1873.

I John Petri of good sound mine and moral due maek my will of free and sound mine I John Petri appoint V. Hoff for my Administrator of all my property which it is in Kern County, Kings County State of Cal. consist as follows
One House and Lot

Corall and Lot 25 feet X 75

5 Mules

1 Horse

I John Petri wish that V. Hoff tacks all the property in his posation pay all the debts and the balancer if there is any left to be send to my Parents

Down as follows

August Kerstein \$17⁰⁰

M. Barrows " 13⁰⁰

and V. Hoff one Poning a/c dated this day Lone Pine Aug 29/73
signed seals in the present of witness

John Petri

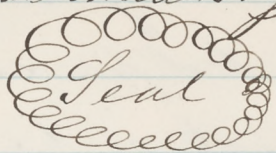
G. Collean

A. J. Chelius

John Petri

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In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the Estate of John Petri, deceased -
The Petition of Victor Hoff, heretofore filed, praying for admission
to probate of a certain document filed in this Court, purporting to be
the last will and testament of John Petri, deceased, and that letters
testamentary be issued, to said Petitioner, this day regularly coming
on to be heard - And the proof being made to the satisfaction of this
Court that notice has been given of the time appointed for the proving
of said will and for hearing said petition, and that notices had been
duly issued and served as required by law and the previous order
of this Court and after examining the said petitioner and A. J.
Chelius and L. Colshaw the subscribing witnesses to said will
produced in behalf of said petitioner, whose testimony has been re-
duced to writing, and filed, and it duly appearing that said will
was executed in all particulars as required by law, and that the
said testator, at the time of the execution of the same, was of
sound and disposing mind, not acting under duress, menace
fraud, or undue influence, or misrepresentation, that said John
Petri died on or about the twenty ninth day of August A.D. 1873
being a resident of the town of Lone Pine, County of Inyo, State of
California, at the time of his death, and leaving both real and per-
sonal estate the personal estate being of the value of Two hundred
and seventy five dollars or thereabouts, and the annual rents, in-
sues and profits of said real estate being of the value of Thirty dollars
or thereabouts, that the said estate and effects for, or in respect to
which the probate of said will is applied for as aforesaid, does
not exceed the value of Six hundred dollars, and no objections
being made or filed and said applicant being competent to act
as executor: It is ordered that the said document heretofore filed
purporting to be the last will and testament of John Petri, de-
ceased, be and the same is hereby admitted to probate as the last
will and testament of John Petri, deceased - That said Victor
Hoff be and he is hereby appointed executor, and that letters
testamentary issue to said petitioner -



John A. Hannah
Probate Judge

Recorded September 22^d 1873 at 4 O'clock P. M.

Mayhewstrand
Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the Estate of John Petri, deceased -

State of California }
County of Inyo }

A. J. Chelius of lawful age, and a com-

petent Witness, being duly sworn in open Court testifies as follows:
 I reside in the County of Inyo State of California, I knew John Petri
 on the twenty ninth day August A. D. 1873, the date of the instrument
 now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the first day of
 September A. D. 1873, purporting to be the last will and testament of
 John Petri. I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument
 I also knew at the said date of said instrument L. Collean the other
 of said subscribing witnesses. The said instrument was signed
 and sealed by the said John Petri, at the town of Lone Pine, County
 of Inyo on the said twenty ninth day of August A. D. 1873, the
 day it bears date, in the presence of myself and said L. Collean
 and the said John Petri thereupon published the said instrument
 as, and declared the same to us, to be his last will and testament
 and requested us in attestation thereof, to sign the same as witnesses
 The said L. Collean and I then and there in the presence of the said
 John Petri, and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names
 as witnesses to the said instrument. At the time of executing
 the said instrument, to wit: the twenty ninth day of August A. D.
 1873, the said John Petri was over the age of eighteen years, to wit
 of the age of forty years or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing
 mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue in-
 fluence or misrepresentation -

Subscribed & sworn to in open Court } A. P. Chelius
 before me this 22^d day of August A. D. 1873 }
 Marlaunmastrand

Clerk

Filed & Recorded Sept. 22^d 1873

Marlaunmastrand - Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
 In the matter of the Estate of John Petri, deceased
 State of California }
 County of Inyo } ss.

L. Collean of lawful age, and a competent
 witness, being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows:
 I reside in Lone Pine, County of Inyo, State of California -
 I knew John Petri on the twenty ninth day of August A. D. 1873,
 the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed
 in this Court on the first day of September A. D. 1873, purporting
 to be the last will and testament of the said John Petri - I am
 one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument, I also knew
 at the said date of said instrument A. P. Chelius the other
 of said subscribing witnesses. The said instrument was signed

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by the said John Petri at the town of Lone Pine, in the said County of Inyo, on the said twenty ninth day of August A. D. 1873, the day it bears date, in the presence of myself and the said A. P. Chelius, and the said John Petri, thereupon published the said instrument, as and declared to us, the same to be his last will and testament, and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said A. P. Chelius and I then and there in the presence of the said John Petri, and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument, at the time of the executing of said instrument to wit: the 29th day of August A. D. 1873 was over the age of eighteen years, to wit: of the age of forty years, or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation.

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court before } L. Collean
me this 22^d day of September A. D. 1873 }
Marlammstrand }
Clerk

Filed & recorded Sept^r 22^d 1873

Marlammstrand - Clerk

Certificate of Proof of Will

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the Estate

of

John Petri, deceased

State of California }

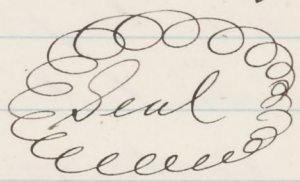
County of Inyo } ss

I John A. Hannah Probate Judge of said County do hereby certify That on the 22^d day of September A. D. 1873, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of John Petri, deceased, and from the proof taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows: That said John Petri died on or about the 30th /thirtieth/ day of August A. D. 1873 in the County of Inyo, State of California, that at that time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California, that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life time in the said County of Inyo, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of L. Collean and A. P. Chelius, the subscribing witnesses, also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other

that the said decedent, at the time of executing said will, was of the age of Forty years or thereabouts, was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud undue influence or misrepresentation, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate - In witness whereof I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court under the seal thereof this Twenty ninth day of September A.D. 1873

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Morlaumastrand
Clerk



John A. Hannah
Probate Judge

Filed and Recorded Sept. 29th A.D. 1873

Morlaumastrand

Clerk

Will of Ramon Ravanalis

Dated August 23rd 1873.

En nombre de Dios todo poderoso Yo Ramon Ravanalis Natural de la Republica de Chile, provincia de Colchagua, hijo legitimo de Matias Ravanalis y de M^{ra} Santiles Susan residente en lon pain Condado de Inyo Estado de California por seis años. Encontrandome gravemente enfermo, y en mi entero juicio hago la declaracion siguiente - Nombró a d. Augustin Pizarro y a d. Gabino Parra pa que en caso de fallecer tomen lo qe es mio y se realice y se pague las cuentas q. a' derdo; y como tambien pa q. cubren lo q. me deben y el Saldo q. hubiere se arremetido a Chile a' mi hijo Juan Ramon Ravanalis - Dejo en lon pine tres flequas y quatro Cavallos - Y d. Un carro grande y tres pares de arneses y quatro pares de valensinas tres cadenas largas - Y d. Una Carrela grande q. sirve de diligencia con valensinas pa 4 Cavallos - Y d. Una silla de montar a caballo, pino y espuelas Un poco de herramientas de Carpinteros, dos Achas, dos palas dos picos, una varra. Y d. 150 pios en la mina Salada' en Mineral de Cerro Gordo - Deudas q. devo - Juan Medina \$1⁰⁰ - Librado Espanza \$6⁰⁰ - a M^{ra} Ana \$12⁰⁰ - a Mr Yonzon \$2⁰⁰ - al Herrero \$25⁰⁰ - al Aleman q. vive en el camino p^a independia \$2⁰⁰ - a Benigno Aguirre \$5⁰⁰ - a d. Carlos Mezan \$11²⁵ - cuentas corrientes con d. Victor 8 rs q. \$ - Los q. me deben Juan Lagos \$3⁰⁰ - Jose M. Linton \$16⁰⁰ - y siendo en todo conforme suplico, ruego y encargo a los mencionados arriba, Pizarro y Parra, Cumplan con esto mi voluntad y pa su formalidad lo firmo ante Test^{es} en lon Pine a 23 de Agosto de 1873 -

Tgs

Juan Et mir Martinez

Tgs Jose M^a Lilton

R. Ravanal

Certificate of proof of Will

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California

In the matter of the Estate

of

Ramon Ravanalis, deceased

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss

I John A. Hannah Probate Judge of said County do hereby certify: That on the twenty ninth day of September A. S. 1873 the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Ramon Ravanalis deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Ramon Ravanalis died on or about the twenty third day of August A. S. 1873 in the County of Inyo, State of California, that at the time of his death he was a resident of said County of Inyo, State of California, that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his life time, in the said County of Inyo, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of Juan Martinez and Jose Maria Lilton the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other, that the said decedent at the time of executing said will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In witness whereof I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the Seal thereof, this twenty ninth day of September A. S. 1873

Attest

M. Lammarastrand

Clerk

John A. Hannah
Probate JudgeFiled & Recorded Sept 29th 1873

M. Lammarastrand

Clerk

Affidavit of Subscribing Witness

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California

In the matter of the Estate of }
Ramon Ravanalis deceased }

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss

Jose Maria Leton of lawful age, and a competent witness, being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: I reside in the County of Inyo, State of California, I knew Ramon Ravanalis on the twenty third day of August A. D. 1873, the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the ninth day of September A. D. 1873 purporting to be the last will and testament of Ramon Ravanalis - I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument, Juan Martinez the other ^{of said} subscribing witnesses - The said instrument was signed and sealed by the said Ramon Ravanalis at the town of Lone Pine, in the County of Inyo, on the said twenty third day of August A. D. 1873, the day it bears date, in the presence of myself and said Juan Martinez and the said Ramon Ravanalis thereupon published the said instrument as and declared the same to be his last will and testament and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses - The said Juan Martinez and I, then and then in the presence of the said Ramon Ravanalis, and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names to the said instrument - At the time of executing the said instrument to wit: the twenty third day of August A. D. 1873 the said Ramon Ravanalis was over the age of eighteen years, to wit: of the age of sixty years or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation

Subscribed and Sworn to before me Jose M^a Leton
in open Court this 29th day of
September A. D. 1873

M. W. Hammastrand

Clerk

Filed & Recorded Sept 29th 1873

M. W. Hammastrand

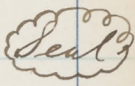
Clerk

Will of Rock Vincentelli

Dated Dec 15th 1873.

In the name of God, Amen: I, Rock Vincentelli of the County of Inyo State of California, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, but before the making of my last will and testament I do declare and acknowledge that I am weak in body but of a sound and disposing mind and not under undue influences or duress, or fraudulent misrepresentation of any person whomsoever -

1st I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Charlotte Vincentelli all and singular my property both real and personal, of whatsoever kind and nature or wheresoever situated And I do hereby revoke any and all wills heretofore made by me. Witness my hand and seal this the fifteenth day of December A.D. 1873 at the County of Inyo State of California.

Rock Vincentelli 

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss

We the undersigned witnesses to the foregoing will of Rock Vincentelli do hereby certify that said Rock Vincentelli made, signed and published and declared in our presence and the presence of said Testator, and in the presence of each other, the foregoing instrument to be his last will and testament. In witness whereof, we have hereunto at the request of said Testator and in his presence and in the presence of each other, set our hands, this the fifteenth day of December A.D. 1873 -

Residence Patrick Reddy - Independence, Inyo Co. California

Residence William T. Grant - Lone Pine Inyo Co. California

Filed Oct. 2nd 1874 - Murlammanstrand - Clerk

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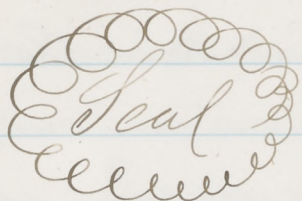
Certificate of Proof of Will and the facts found -

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the Estate of } Certificate of proof of Will and the
Rock Vincentelli, deceased } facts found -

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

I, John A. Hannah, County Judge and Ex-officio Probate Judge of said County, do hereby certify, that on the Twenty first day of October A.D. 1874 the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of Rock Vincentelli, deceased, and from the proofs taken, and the examination had therein, the said Courts finds as follows:

That said Rock Vincentelli died on or about the Twenty Second day of September A.D. 1874, in the said County of Inyo, State of California, that at the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California, that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his life time, in said County of Inyo, State of California and signed by the said testator in the presence of Patrick Reddy and William T. Grant, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other that the said decedent, at time of executing said Will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under the restraint or undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentation, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate - In witness whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this twenty first day of October A.D. 1874 -



John A. Hannah
County Judge and Ex-officio Probate Judge
Attest - M. W. Hammarstrand

Clerk

Filed & Recorded October 21st A.D. 1874

M. W. Hammarstrand

Clerk

Testimony of Probate of Will

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the Estate of } Testimony of subscribing
Rock Vincentelli, deceased } on Probate of Will -
State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

Patrick Reddy of lawful age, and a competent witness, being duly sworn in open court, testifies as follows: I reside in the said County of Inyo, State of California, I knew Rock Vincentelli on the fifteenth day of December A.D. 1873 the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the second day of October A.D. 1874 purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Rock Vincentelli. I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument. I also knew at the said date of said instrument William T. Grant the other of said subscribing witnesses - The said instrument

was signed and sealed by the said Rock Vincentelli at the town of Lone Pine, in the County of Inyo, on the said fifteenth day of December A.D. 1873, the day it bears date in the presence of myself and of said William T. Grant and the said Rock Vincentelli thereupon published the said instrument as, and declared the same to us to be, his last Will and Testament, and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said William T. Grant and I then and there in the presence of said Rock Vincentelli and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument. At the time of executing the said instrument, to wit: the fifteenth day of December 1873 the said Rock Vincentelli was over the age of Eighteen years, to wit, of the age of Forty one /41/ years, or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation. Subscribed and sworn to in open Court Patrick Reddy before me, this Twenty first day of October A.D. 1874.

M. W. Lammas - Clerk

In the matter of the estate of } In the Probate Court of the
Rock Vincentelli, deceased } County of Inyo, State of California
State of California } Testimony of applicant on Probate
County of Inyo } ss. of Will -

Charlotte Vincentelli being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: I am the person named as sole devisee in the document now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the second day of October A.D. 1874, purporting to be the last will and testament of Rock Vincentelli. I reside in the said County of Inyo and am of the age of twenty one years and upwards. I knew said Rock Vincentelli he is dead, I am the widow of the said Rock Vincentelli, he died on or about the twenty second day of September A.D. 1874 at his residence at Lone Pine in the said County of Inyo, and left estate both real and personal in the said County of Inyo, State of California. The real estate is of the value of \$ One thousand dollars or thereabouts, said real estate is improved but affords no revenue. The personal property is of the value of \$ 2000 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ or thereabouts. The said Estate and effects, for or in respect of which the probate of said Will has been applied for, does not exceed the value of Three thousand dollars. All of the estate of said deceased is common property, the same having been acquired since his marriage. The said document was in possession of P. Reddy from the time of its execution till filed in Court and I believe the same to be his last will and testament.

The next of kin of said deceased are Elizabeth Vincentelli his mother aged about 65 years and three $\frac{1}{3}$ brothers and three $\frac{1}{3}$ sisters, whose names are unknown to your petitioner, all of whom reside in the Island of Corsica, Republic of France -

On the fifteenth day of December A. D. 1873, when said Will was executed, said deceased was over the age of Eighteen years, being of the age of Forty $\frac{1}{4}$ years or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind -

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court Charlotte ^{her} Vincentelli
before me, this Twenty first day of _{mark}
October A. D. 1874.

M. W. Lammanstrand

County Clerk

Filed October 21st 1874 -

M. W. Lammanstrand - Clerk

Recorded October 21st A. D. 1874

M. W. Lammanstrand

Clerk

Last Will and Testament of John Beveridge

Dated June 24th 1870.

In the name of God Amen, I John Beveridge being of sound mind and knowing the uncertainty of human life do this the twenty fourth day of June A. D. 1870 make this my last will and testament - First, I hereby will and bequeath to my brother Francis Beveridge of Winnebago Agency, Blue earth County and State of Minnesota and to my sister Anna B. Hanford of Middletown County of Orange and State of New York all the property both real and personal that I may own in the State of California at the time of my death, to be equally divided between them, share and share alike
2^d I hereby appoint my friend and partner William L. Hunter my Executor to carry out the provisions of this instrument -

3^d I hereby give the said William L. Hunter as my Executor full power and discretion either to work any or all of the mining interests that I may be possessed of at the time of my death, or to sell and dispose of any part or all of them, either at private or public sale as in his judgment appears best for the Estate, also that he shall not be required to give bonds as Executor -

4th I declare this to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I the said John Beveridge the testator have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the twenty fourth day of June A. D. 1870 -

John Beveridge

Seal

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said John Beveridge

the testator as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us and of each of us who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses -

J. B. White
V. Beaumont

Filed October 29th 1874

M. Lammendastrand - Clerk -

Admitted to Probate and Recorded this 2^d day of Decr A.D. 1874 -

M. Lammendastrand - Clerk

Certificate of Proof of Will and the facts found.
In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the Estate }
of }
John Beveridge, deceased }
State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

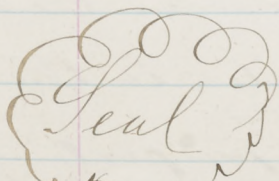
I, John A. Hannah, County Judge and ex-officio Probate Judge of said County, do hereby certify: That on the second day of December A.D. 1874 the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of John Beveridge, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows: That said John Beveridge, died on or about the twenty second day of October A.D. 1874 in the said County of Inyo, State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his life time, in the said County of Inyo, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of V. Beaumont and John B. White, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged, the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of Eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentation nor in any respect incompetent, to devise and bequeath his estate. In witness whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this second day of December A.D. 1874.

John A. Hannah

County Judge and ex-officio Probate Judge

attest, M. Lammendastrand - Clerk

Filed & Recorded Decr 2^d 1874, M. Lammendastrand - Clerk



Testimony on Probate of Will

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California

In the matter of the Estate

of

John Beveridge, deceased

State of California

County of Inyo } ss.

} Testimony of subscribing Witnesses on
} Probate of Will -

John B. White of lawful age, and a competent witness, being duly sworn, in open Court, testifies as follows: I reside in the said County of Inyo, State of California. I knew John Beveridge on the twenty fourth day of June A. D. 1870, the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the twenty ninth day of October A. D. 1874, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said John Beveridge - I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument. I also knew at the said date of said instrument V. Beaudry, the other of said subscribing Witnesses - The said instrument was signed and sealed by the said John Beveridge at the town of Curro Gordo, in the County of Inyo, on the said twenty fourth day of June A. D. 1870, the day it bears date, in the presence of myself and said V. Beaudry, and the said John Beveridge thereupon published the said instrument as, and declared to us the same to be, his last Will and Testament, and requested us in attestation thereof to sign, ~~that~~ same as witnesses - The said V. Beaudry and I then and there in the presence of the said John Beveridge and in presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument. At the time of executing the said instrument, to wit: the twenty fourth day of June 1870, the said John Beveridge, was over the age of Eighteen years, to wit: of the age of Thirty one years, or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence, or misrepresentation -

Subscribed & sworn to in open Court

before me this second day of December
A. D. 1874

John B. White

M. L. A. M. A. Strand

Clerk

In the matter of the Estate

of

John Beveridge, deceased

} In the Probate Court of the County
} of Inyo, State of California

William L. Hunter being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: I am the person named as Executor in the document now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the twenty ninth day of October A. D. 1874, purporting to be the last will and testament of John Beveridge, I reside in the

said County of Inyo, and am of the age of twenty one years and upwards I know said John Beveridge, he is dead, he died on or about the twenty second day of October A.D. 1874, at the town of Cerro Gordo, in the said County of Inyo, State of California. At the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, and left estate both real and personal in the said County of Inyo, State of California. The real estate consists of about 475 feet in the Belmont mine near Cerro Gordo, County and State aforesaid, and is of the value of \$2000⁰⁰/₁₀₀ or thereabouts, the annual rents and profits are nil, said mine not being, nor has it ~~was~~ been worked for some time. The personal property is of the value of \$300⁰⁰/₁₀₀ or thereabouts. The said estate and effects, for or in respect of which the probate of said Will has been applied for, does not exceed the value of \$2500⁰⁰/₁₀₀. All of the estate of said deceased is separate property, said deceased never having been married. The said document came into my possession, as follows to wit: Said Will when made was deposited in the safe of John R. Hughes of Cerro Gordo, County and State aforesaid, for safekeeping and after the death of said deceased was handed to me by John R. Hughes and I believe the same to be deceased's last Will and Testament.

The next of kin of said deceased are his sister Anna B. Hanford, residing at Middletown, County of Orange, State of New York, and Alice Beveridge residing at Winnebago agency, Blue Earth County, State of Minnesota widow of said Francis Beveridge, deceased, brother of said deceased, John Beveridge, the ages of both of whom are unknown to your petitioner. On the Twenty fourth day of June A.D. 1870, when said Will was executed said deceased was over the age of Eighteen years, being of the age thirty one years or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind. That I was formerly a partner of said deceased, but have not been such for some length of time prior to the death of said deceased.

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court before

me, this second day of December A.D. 1874

W. L. Hunter

Seal

Murlanmastrand

County Clerk

Filed Dec 2^d 1874 - Murlanmastrand - Clerk

Recorded on the 2^d day of Dec A.D. 1874

Murlanmastrand

Clerk

Will of Martin F. Moore

Dated February 1st 1875 -

I, Martin Moore, being of sound mind, do give and bequeath to Harry Wright, Judge R. B. Snelling and R. A. Loomis, all my interest in and to those certain veins or lodes, situated in Esso District, Inyo County, California, known as follows One thousand feet in the Golden Fleece lode, One thousand feet in the North Extension of the Grand mine or lode and five hundred feet in the Eunice lode or vein, share and share alike. I also bequeath to Frank, George, and Eddie Carnes, sons of A. D. Carnes all the remaining money of which I may die possessed - after paying all funeral Expenses, and the Bill of Dr. Seleich for medical attendance and the bill A. D. Carnes for board and attendance my funds at the present time consisting of a Check for four hundred dollars (\$400⁰⁰) drawn by J. S. Rothschild and the amount of one hundred and thirty four dollars, owing to me by Harry Wright and the amount of Thirty Seven dollars owing to me by A. C. Hanson -

I also do hereby appoint and constitute R. A. Loomis of Lone Pine my lawful administrator, to settle up my affairs in case of death signed this first day of February A. D. 1875

Witness

Martin F. Moore (Seal)

A. D. Carnes

Filed February 15th 1875 - M. W. Lammanstrand - Clerk
Admitted to Probate and recorded March 8th 1875

M. W. Lammanstrand -

Clerk

Certificate of the Proof of Will and the facts found
In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the Estate

of
Martin F. Moore deceased

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss

I, John A. Hannah Probate Judge of said County do hereby certify that on the fifteenth day of February A. D. 1875, the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Martin F. Moore, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein the said Court finds as follows, That said Martin F. Moore died on or about the second day of February A. D. 1875 in the said County of Inyo - State of California, that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in lifetime, in the said County of Inyo, State of California and signed by the said Testator in the presence of A. D. Carnes, the subscribing Witness thereto, also that he acknowledged the execution of the

same in his presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said Witness attested the same at his request in his presence; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of Eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentations, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his said Estate -

In witness whereof I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this Eighth day of March A.D. 1875 -

John A. Hannah - Probate Judge

Seal

Attest

Murhammistrand - Clerk

Filed & Recorded March 8th 1875 - Murhammistrand - Clerk

Testimony on Probate of Will

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California

In the matter of the Estate

of

Martin F. Moore, deceased

Testimony of Subscribing Witness on Probate of Will

State of California

County of Inyo

A.D. Cameo of lawful age, and competent as a witness,

being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: I reside in the said County of Inyo, State of California. I knew Martin F. Moore on the first day of February A.D. 1875, the date of the instrument, now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the fifteenth day of February A.D. 1875 purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Martin F. Moore. I am the subscribing Witness to said instrument. The said instrument was signed and sealed by the said Martin F. Moore at Lone Pine, in the County of Inyo, on the said first day of February A.D. 1875, the day it bears date, in the presence of myself, and the said Martin F. Moore thereupon published the said instrument as, declared to me the same to be his last will and testament, and requested me in attestation thereof to sign the same as Witness - I then and there in the presence of the said Martin F. Moore, and in the presence of each other, subscribed my name as witness to said instrument - At the time of executing the said instrument to wit: the First day of February A.D. 1875, the said Martin F. Moore was over the age of Eighteen years and upwards, to wit of the age of Thirty seven years, or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind, and acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence, or misrepresentation.

Subscribed & sworn to in open Court before me

this Eighth day of March A.D. 1875 -

Seal

Murhammistrand

County Clerk

A.D. Cameo

Will of John J. McCall

Dated 5th March 1875

In the name of God, Amen. I John J. McCall of the town of Lone Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of fifty one years, and being of sound and disposing mind, and not under any restraint, or the influence or representation of any person whatsoever, do make, publish and declare this my last will and testament, in manner following, that is to say, First, I give and bequeath, all my Estate and property, real and personal, wheresoever situated, to my wife Mary McCall, for her use and benefit, during her life time and at her demise, the remainder to revert to her daughter Ida C. Adams. Second, I hereby appoint my beloved wife Mary McCall, my sole executrix of this my last will and Testament, without her being required to give bonds; hereby revoking all former wills, made by me.

In witness whereof I have herunto set my hand and Seal this fifth day of March A.D. One thousand eight hundred and seventy five

John J. McCall Seal

The foregoing instrument consisting of one Page, was, at the date thereof, by the said John J. McCall, signed, sealed and published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto -

Patrick Reddy

Residing at Independence - Inyo Co. Cal.

John A. Reddy

Residing at

Filed April 27th 1875 - M. W. Lammarastrand - Clerk

Admitted to Probate and Recorded May 24th A.D. 1875 -

M. W. Lammarastrand - Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California

In the matter of the Estate

of

John J. McCall, deceased

State of California

County of Inyo - } ss.

} Certificate of Proof of Will and Facts found

I, John A. Hannah, Probate Judge, of said City and County, do hereby certify, that on the 27th day of April A.D. 1875 the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of John J. McCall, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examination had therein, the said Court finds as follows: That said John J. McCall, died on or about the sixth day of April A.D. 1875 in the said County of Inyo, State of California that at the time of his death, he was a resident of the said County

of Inyo, State of California, that the annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his life time, in the said County of Inyo, State of California and signed by the said testator in the presence of Patrick Reddy and John A. Reddy, the subscribing witnesses thereto, also that he acknowledged the execution thereof in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other, that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, or fraudulent misrepresentation, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate -

In witness whereof I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this twenty fourth day of May A.D. 1875 -

John A. Hannah, Probate
Judge -

attest - ~~Marlammarstrand~~ -

Clerk

Filed May 24th 1875 - ~~Marlammarstrand~~ - Clerk

Recorded May 24th 1875 - ~~Marlammarstrand~~ Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
In the matter of the Estate of } Testimony of subscribing witnesses
John J. McCall, deceased } on Probate of Will -
State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

John A. Reddy, of lawful age, and a competent witness, being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: I reside in the said County of Inyo, State of California, I knew John J. McCall on the fifth day of March A.D. 1875, the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the twenty seventh day of April A.D. 1875, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said John J. McCall, I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument. I also knew at the said date of the said instrument Patrick Reddy, the other of said subscribing witnesses. The said instrument was signed and sealed by the said John J. McCall, at Lone Pine, in the County of Inyo, on the fifth day of March A.D. 1875, the day it bears date - in the presence of myself and said Patrick Reddy, and the said John J. McCall thereupon published the said instrument as, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and requested us in attestation thereof, to sign the same as witnesses to the said

Patrick Reddy, and I then and there in the presence of the said John J. McCall, and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument - At the time of executing the said instrument, to wit: the fifth day of March 1875, the said John J. McCall, was over the age of Eighteen years, to wit, of the age of fifty one years, or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence, or misrepresentation -

Subscribed & sworn to in open Court, before me this } John A. Reddy,
Twenty fourth day of May A. D. 1875

M. H. Hammarstrand - Clerk

In the matter of the Estate of } In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo
John J. McCall, deceased } State of California -

State of California }

County of Inyo } ss. Testimony of Applicant on Probate of Will
Mary McCall, being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: I
am the widow of John J. McCall deceased, and the person named as Sole Ex-
ecutor in the document now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the
27th day of April A. D. 1875, purporting to be the last will and testament
of John J. McCall - I reside in the said County of Inyo, and am of the age of
Twenty one years and upwards, I knew said John J. McCall, he is dead, he
died on or about the sixth day of April A. D. 1875 - at his residence near Lone
Pine, in the said County of Inyo, State of California - At the time of his
death, he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, and he left Estate both
real and personal, in the said County of Inyo, State of California -
The real Estate is of the value of \$6000⁰⁰ or thereabouts, and the annual
rents, issues and profits thereof said real Estate amount to the sum of
\$1000⁰⁰ or thereabouts - The personal property is of the value of
\$1000⁰⁰ or thereabouts - The said Estate and effects, for or in respect of which
the Probate of said will has been applied for, does exceed the value of \$7000⁰⁰ -
The said document came into my possession as follows, to wit: It was deposited by
said deceased, during his lifetime, with Patrick Reddy, for safekeeping, and deposited by
Patrick Reddy, with M. H. Hammarstrand, Esq. Clerk of Probate Court of County of Inyo, for
Record, and believe the same to be deceased's last Will and testament, The next of kin
of said deceased are Mary McCall, his wife and Delia L. Adams her daughter -
On the fifth day of March A. D. 1875, when said will was executed, said deceased
was over the age of Eighteen years, being of the age of Fifty one years or thereabouts
and was of sound and disposing mind -

Subscribed & sworn to in open Court, before me this 24th day of May A. D. 1875 } Mary McCall -
M. H. Hammarstrand - Clerk }

Filed May 24 1875. M. H. Hammarstrand - Clerk

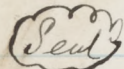
Recorded the 24th day of May A. D. 1875

M. H. Hammarstrand - Clerk

Will of Alonzo D. Eames, Esq.

Dated April 7th, 1868.

This is the last Will and Testament of one Alonzo D. Eames of Oakland in the County of Alameda, and State of California. I direct my just debts funeral and testamentary expenses to be paid out of my personal Estate as soon as may be after my decease. I declare all the property of which I shall die possessed to be community property, one half of which by the laws of this State will belong to my wife Margaret Eames at my death I give devise and bequeath and my real, personal and mixed property and estate, over which I can or may Exercise any power of disposal devise or bequest, and whether in possession, reversion or remainder, or what nature or kind soever and wheresoever situate unto my dear wife Margaret Eames, her heirs and assigns forever, and I declare that I make such gift devise and bequest in the firm belief that my said wife will look after protect and further ~~the~~ interest of our children. In case my said wife should desire to marry again, I earnestly entreat her before contracting any such marriage to set apart and convey to trustees an amount equal to the property bequeathed and devised to her by this my will, to hold and use for the benefit of our ^{said} children, It being my desire that our children should have and possess the said property after the death or second marriage of my said wife. But this request and expression of my desire shall not be construed in any manner to limit the gift devise bequest herebefore made to my said dear wife or to prevent her from selling or disposing of the said property and every part thereof in such manner and at such times as she shall think fit and proper I appoint my said dear wife sole executrix of this my last Will and Testament and request that she act as such without being required to give any bonds or other security. Herely revoking any and all wills by me at any time heretofore made I publish and declare this to be and contain my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this seventh day of April in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty eighth.

A. D. Eames 

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Alonzo D. Eames, the testator, as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Octavius Bell

Attorney at law San Francisco and Oakland

Jane Eliza Bell, Oakland

Filed August 7th 1875 - M. P. Hammarstrand, Clerk

Recorded August 30th 1875.

M. P. Hammarstrand - Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo, State of California
 In the matter of the Estate of }
 Alonzo D. Carnes, deceased } Certificate of proof of Will and facts found -
 State of California }
 County of Inyo } ss.

I John A. Hannah, Probate Judge of said County do hereby certify: that on the thirtieth day of August A.D. 1875 the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Alonzo D. Carnes, deceased, and from the proofs taken and examinations had therein the said Court finds as follows: That said Alonzo D. Carnes died on or about the Eleventh day of June A.D. 1875 in the said County of Inyo - State of California, that at the time of his death, he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California, that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the decedent, in his lifetime, in the County of Alameda State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of Octavius Bell and Elizabeth Bell the subscribing witnesses thereto also that he acknowledges the execution of the same in their presence, and declares the same to be his the last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other, that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of Eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentation, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate - In witness whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this thirtieth day of August A.D. 1875

Seal

John A. Hannah, Probate Judge

attest M. W. Hammarstrand - Clerk

Filed & Recorded August 30 1875 - M. W. Hammarstrand - Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo - State of California
 In the matter of the Estate of } Frank Carnes as to the signature of the
 Alonzo D. Carnes, deceased } Testimony of a Subscribing Witness on Probate of Will -
 State of California }
 County of Inyo } ss.

Frank Carnes of lawful age, and a competent witness being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: I reside in the said County of Inyo, State of California, and am the son of Alonzo D. Carnes now deceased I knew Octavius Bell and Elizabeth Bell, and Alonzo D. Carnes the subscribing parties thereto, on the seventh day of April A.D. 1868, to the instrument now shown to me marked as filed in this Court, on the seventh day of August A.D. 1875, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said Alonzo D. Carnes the said Octavius and Elizabeth Bell, the subscribing witnesses are now absent from this State and residing in the State Oregon, I am well acquainted

with their signatures, also that of Alongo D. Carnes, deceased, and do hereby certify that the said signatures to said Will, are the true and genuine signatures of said Octavius Bell and Elizabeth Bell, the subscribing witnesses, and of Alongo D. Carnes now deceased - At the time of executing the said instrument, to wit: the seventh day of April A. D. 1868 the said Alongo D. Bell was over the age of Eighteen years and upwards to wit, of the age of Thirty nine (39) years, or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation -

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court before me } F. P. Carnes
this Thirtieth day of August A. D. 1875 }
M. W. Lammanstrand, Clerk }

In the matter of the Estate of } In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo
Alongo D. Carnes, deceased } State of California

State of California }

County of Inyo }

ss. Testimony of applicant on Probate of Will -

Margaret Carnes being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: I am the person named as sole Executrix in the document now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the seventh day of August A. D. 1875, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Alongo D. Carnes deceased - I reside in the said County of Inyo, and am of the age of Twenty one years and upwards. I knew said Alongo D. Carnes, he is dead, and am the wife of said Alongo D. Carnes, deceased, he died on or about the Eleventh day of June A. D. 1875 at Lone Pine in the said County of Inyo State of California, at the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California, and left personal Estate therein in the said County of Inyo, State of California - The personal property is of the value of \$700 or thereabouts. The said Estate and effects, for or in respect of which the probate of said will has been applied for, do not exceed the value of \$700 - All of the Estate of said deceased is community property, the same having been acquired since his marriage, the said document came into my possession as follows to wit: It was handed to me by the said testator for safe keeping, and has been in my possession ever since and I believe the same to be his last will and testament - The next of kin of said deceased are his said surviving wife Margaret Carnes, aged about 36 years, Frank Carnes his son aged about 20 years, George Carnes his son aged about 18 years, Edward Alongo Carnes his son aged about 16 years, May Bell Carnes, his daughter aged about 13 years, and Birdie Carnes, ^{his daughter} aged about 8 years, all of whom reside in the said town of Lone Pine, Inyo County, California - On the seventh day of April A. D. 1868 when said will was executed, said deceased was over the age of Eighteen years, being of the age of 39 years or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind -

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court before me this 30th day of August A. D. 1875

M. W. Lammanstrand - County Clerk }

Margaret Carnes -

Filed August 30th 1875 - M. W. Lammanstrand, Clerk - Recorded Aug. 30th 1875 - M. W. Lammanstrand, Clerk

Will of,
Margaret E. George.

In the name of God, Amen, I, Margaret E. George, of the town of Independence County of Inyo State of California wife of William P. George of the town County and State aforesaid, being weak in body, but of a sound and disposing mind do make publish and declare this my last will and testament in manner following, that is to say;

First, I give devise and bequeath to my executors hereinafter named, all and singular my separate property real and personal, wheresoever situated, and all monies belonging to my said separate estate of which I may die possessed, in trust nevertheless, and to and for the following uses and purposes, viz, I direct my said executors to sell such personal property belonging to my said estate as they may see fit and to lease my said real estate on such terms as they may see fit and as in their judgment may be most for the interest of my estate, and I direct my said executors to use all monies that may come into their hands, or that may in any manner arise or accrue from my said estate as follows;

First, to maintain and educate in a proper manner the following named of my children, to wit:

Frank Elmore Blaney

Hepsibeth Agnes Blaney

Ellen Augusta Blaney

Florence Theresa Blaney

Edward Henry Blaney

Joseph E. Blaney

Charlotte Blaney

Benjamin Dix Blaney,

said children being children of a former marriage between myself and Benjamin Blaney, They shall so continue to use the income of my said estate until the youngest of my said children, to wit, Benjamin Dix Blaney shall have arrived at the age of Eighteen years, then my said executors will divide the remainder of my said estate equally among my said children, that is to say, share and share alike.

I find, I hereby nominate and appoint, John Broder of the town of Independence, County of Inyo, State of California, S. P. Moffatt and P. Reddy of the town County and State aforesaid to be the

Executors of this, my last will and testament and Guardians of the persons and estates of the following named children, to wit;

Frank Elmer Planey
 Hepsibeth Agnes Planey
 Ellen Augusta Planey
 Florence Theresa Planey
 Edward Henry Planey
 Joseph S. Planey
 Charlotte Planey
 Benjamin Dix Planey

Nowth, Should the income of my said estate exceed the sum required for the maintenance and education of my said children, and for the care and proper management of my said estate, I direct my said executors to invest the surplus in such manner as they may deem meet and for the best interests of my said estate, Any two of my said executors may do any act necessary in the premises,

Independence, Inyo County, California,
 November 25th A.D. 1871.

Margaret C. George.

Signed by the Testatrix and by her published and declared to be her last Will and Testament, This Twenty-fifth day of November A.D. 1871, In the presence of us and each of us, who at her request and in her presence, and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses,

J. S. Broder of Independence Inyo Co. Cal.
 J. P. Mc. Perham of Independence Inyo Co. Cal.
 Mary A. Harly,

Filed Nov 29th A.D. 1871

S. P. Mc offat. Clerk.

Recorded at request of John Broder
 March 21st A.D. 1876 at 30 min. past 4 P.M.

J. B. Daugherty
 County Recorder.

Last Will and Testament of
Ramon Molino,

Dated July 6th 1876

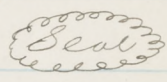
In the name of God Amen, I, Ramon Molino of Chile in South America of the age of Forty five years, and being of sound and disposing mind and not under any restraint or the influence or representation of any person whatever, do make publish and declare this my last will and testament, in manner following that is to say;

First, I direct that my body be decently buried in the town of Darwin without undue ceremony or ostentation but with proper regard to my station and condition of life,

Secondly, I give and bequeath to my beloved brother Pedro Molino and to my beloved sister Juana Molino the rest and residue of my estate after the expenses of my sickness and funeral are paid,

Lastly, I hereby appoint Charles D. Sharp executor of of this my last will and testament without bonds, and without the formality of going through the Probate Court having implicit confidence in the said Charles D. Sharp and that he will transmit to my brother and sister whatever remains of my estate,

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this sixth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy six,

Ramon ^{his} Molino 
 mark

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this was at the date thereof, by the said Ramon Molino signed, sealed and published as and declared to be his last will and testament in presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto,

C. M. Vicolio

Residing in Darwin County of Inyo State of California,
 Juan^{co} Garcia

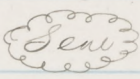
Residing in Darwin County of Inyo State of California
 H. W. Woods

Residing in Darwin County of Inyo State of California,
 Codicil,

Whereas I Ramon Molino of Chile South America have made my last will and testament in writing

Bearing date the sixth day of July A.D. Eighteen Hundred and seventy six in and by which I appointed Charles A. Sharp executor of my last will and testament,

Now therefore I do by this my writing which I hereby declare to be a codicil to my said last will and testament and to be taken as a part thereof and declare that my will is, that Santiago Munos by my sole executor without bonds or undertaking of any kind, And lastly it is my desire that this codicil be annexed to and made a part of, my last will and testament as aforesaid to all intents and purposes, In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this eighth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy six,

Ramon ^{his} X Molins 
mark

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this was at the date thereof, by the said Ramon Molins signed sealed and published as and declared to be a codicil to his last will and testament, in presence of us who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto,

C. M. Nicolas

Residing in Darwin County of Inyo State of California,
Man^a Garcia

Residing in Darwin County of Inyo State of California

Recorded at request of Santiago Munos
July 14th A.D. 1876 at 30 min past 1 P.M.

J. J. Daugherty
County Recorder

Wm G Russell's Will,
 Filed March 3^d A.D. 1877 Jm B Dancy Clerk,
 'In the name of God. amen, I, William G Russell
 of Bishop Creek, Inyo County, State of California,
 in the United States of America, single, being of
 sound mind and memory, do make publish and
 declare, this my last will and testament, that is to say;
 1st I make constitute and appoint Robert and
 Samuel Russell both of Clay Township, Washing-
 ton County State of Iowa, the executors of this my
 last will and testament, to act without giving any
 bond, undertaking or security of any kind,
 2nd I give bequeath and devise two hundred and fifty
 (250) dollars to Louisa Smith wife of H. P. Smith
 of Visalia Tulare County, California,
 3rd I give bequeath and devise five hundred (500)
 dollars to George D. Nelson, Louis Ellen Nelson,
 Mary L. Nelson and Eva Ann Nelson, the chil-
 dren of John M. Nelson of Arroya Grande, San
 Luis Obispo County California,
 4th I give bequeath and devise four hundred (400)
 dollars to H. Green of Visalia Tulare County
 California,
 5th I give bequeath and devise all my estate that
 remains after satisfying the foregoing provisions
 to my brothers Robert and Samuel, my above
 named executors,

William Gray Russell,
 On this 26th day of August A.D. 1876, the above written
 instrument was subscribed by the said William
 G Russell, in our presence and acknowledged
 by him to each of us, and he at the same time
 published and declared the above instrument, so
 subscribed, to be his last will and testament,
 and we at the testators request, in his presence,
 and in each others presence, have signed our names
 as witnesses thereto, together with our places of res-
 idence,

Heonizah P Smith
 Bishop Creek Inyo Co, Cal.,
 John Dugan
 Bishop Creek Inyo Co, Cal.,

(See over)

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo,
 State of California,
 In the matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof
 of } of Will and the Facts
 William G Russell, } found,
 deceased, }

State of California)
 County of Inyo S.D. I, John A. Hauman,
 Probate Judge of said City and County do hereby
 certify; That on the 13th day of April A.D. 1877 the
 annexed instrument was admitted to Probate
 as the last Will and Testament of William
 G Russell deceased, and from the proofs taken
 and the examinations had therein, the said
 Court finds as follows; That said William
 G Russell died on or about the 21st day of
 January A.D. 1877 in the City and County of
 San Francisco State of California, that at the
 time of his death he was a resident of the County
 of Inyo State of California, that the said annexed
 Will was duly executed by the said decedent
 in his lifetime in the County of Inyo State of
 California and signed by the said testator in
 the presence of Adonizah P. Smith and John
 Dugan the subscribing witnesses thereto; also
 that he acknowledged the execution of the same
 in their presence, and declared the same to be
 his last Will and Testament and the said
 witnesses attested the same at his request in
 his presence and in the presence of each other,
 that the said decedent at the time of executing
 said Will, was of the age of eighteen years and
 upwards, was of sound and disposing mind
 and not under restraint, undue influence
 or fraudulent misrepresentation, nor in any
 respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his
 estate, In witness whereof I have signed this
 certificate and caused the same to be attested
 by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof
 this 13th day of April A.D. 1877

Seal

John A. Hauman Probate Judge,
 Alast. Wm. Daugherty
 Clerk

Recorded June 18th AD 1877

Wm D Daugherty Clerk, ✓

In the name of God Amen! I, O'Velson J Coburn of the County of Inyo State of California of the age of fifty four years, and being of sound and disposing mind, not under any restraints, or the influence or representation of any person whatever do make and declare this my last will and testament, as follows,

1st I direct that my executor hereinafter named as soon as he has sufficient funds in his hands, to pay my funeral expenses, and the expenses of my last sickness, together with all my just debts and liabilities

2nd, I give and bequeath all of the residue of the property of which I may die possessed to my daughter "Pamela" whose residence is unknown to me, but believe her to reside in Texas,

3rd I constitute and appoint John Lucas of the town of Lone Pine my Executor of this my last Will and Testament,

O'Velson J Coburn,

The above written instrument was subscribed at the date hereof by the said O'Velson J Coburn, and in our presence signed sealed and published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto,

Caspar Cohen Residence Lone Pine,

D O Macmaster " " "

(Endorsed)

The last Will and Testament of O'Velson J Coburn, Dated May 7th 1877

Filed June 13th 1877 Wm D Daugherty Clerk,

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo State of California,

In the matter of the Estate of }
O'Velson J Coburn deceased }

D. P. Macarter of lawful age, being duly sworn, says, I reside in the town of Lone Pine Inyo County I knew O'Velson A Coburn in his life time, He was a resident of said town and County at the time of his death, He has left estate in this County, The instrument now shown me, marked as filed in this Court on the 13^d day of June 1877 purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased was signed by the said O'Velson A Coburn in the town and County aforesaid on the 7th day of May 1877 - the day it bears date, in the presence of myself and of Caspar Cohen who thereupon declared the same to be his last will and testament and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses - The said Caspar Cohen and I then and there, in the presence of each other signed the same as subscribing witnesses, At the time of executing said will the said O'Velson A Coburn was over eighteen years of age, I should think he was about fifty years old, He was also of sound and disposing mind and was not under any restraint undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentation

D. P. Macarter

The above testimony being reduced to writing was signed by the witness the said D. P. Macarter and was sworn to by him in open Court this 30th day of July 1877 before me

Seal

Wm J. Gaugherty

Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo State of California,

In the matter of the estate of }
O'Velson A Coburn, deceased }

C. D. Beyols being duly sworn deposes and says, My name is C. D. Beyols, age 21 years and upwards, reside in Lone Pine Inyo County State of California I knew O'Velson A Coburn in his life time, he is now dead, he died on the night of the 7th day of June A D 1877

C. D. Beyols,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th

day of July 4th 1877

Seal

J^m B. Daugherty
Clerk

Will and proofs &c of N. J. Coburn, Filed for
record at request of S. P. Moffat July 30th 1877
at 1 o'clock,

J^m B. Daugherty County Recorder, ✓

In the name of God, Amen.

I Almira Mackley of Bishop Creek County of
Inyo and State of California of lawful age
being dangerously ill, but sound in mind
and memory and considering the uncertainty
of life, do therefore make, ordain publish
and declare this to be my last will and tes-
tament, That is to say; 1st I direct that my
executors hereinafter named directly after my
death take charge of all my personal property
and effects and as soon as they have sufficient
funds in their hands pay my funeral expenses
and the expense of my last sickness 2nd I give
bequeath and devise all my real estate con-
sisting of the property I now own in Bishop
Creek Valley Inyo County California, all
my personal property (except wearing apparel
jewelry and household furniture) consisting
of 2 horses and harness 1 Buck Board 2 cows
1 calf and 20 fowls (the said horse harness
and buck board now loaned to J. J. Ralls)
in equal portions or shares to my three chil-
dren viz; Maggie Rogers of East Chain Lake
State of Minnesota Mary Groveson of
Zansing Michigan and John B. Griffen
formerly of Bishop Creek Inyo County Cali-
fornia present residence unknown, 3rd I give
bequeath and devise all my wearing apparel
jewelry and house-hold furniture in equal
portions or shares to my said daughters Mag-
gie Rogers and Mary Groveson 4th I make
constitute and appoint my friends William
Rogers, and George C. Alexander both of Bish-
op Creek Inyo County California of this my

last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

Almira Markley *E. B.*

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this was on this eighth day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight, by the said Almira Markley signed sealed and published as and declared to be her last will and testament in presence of us, who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto J. C. Kingsley of Bishop Creek Inyo Co California Jas Shaw of Bishop Creek Inyo Co California.

Filed March 12th 1878 John Crough County Clerk
Admitted to Probate and recorded April 12th 1878

John Crough Clerk
Gyles M. Gil deputy.

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo
State of California

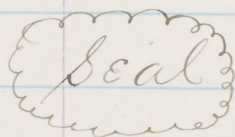
In the matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof
Almira Markley deceased } of Will & the Facts found
State of California }
County of Inyo, S.S.

I John A. Hannah Probate Judge of said County do hereby certify That on the first Day of April A.D. 1878 the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Almira Markley deceased and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein the said Court finds as follows, That said Almira Markley died on or about the 20th day of February A.D. 1878 in the County of Inyo State of California that at the time of her death she was a resident of the County of Inyo State of California, that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in her lifetime in the County of Inyo State of Cali-

form and signed by the said testatrix in the presence of J. C. Kingsley and James Shaid, the subscribing witnesses thereto, also that she acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be her last Will and Testament and the said witnesses attested the same at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind and not under restraint, undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentation nor in any respect incompetent to live and bequeath her estate. In Witness Whereof I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court under the seal thereof this first day of April A.D. 1878.

Attest,

John A. Haywood
Probate Judge



Clerk

Filed April 12th 1878 John Crough Clerk
Recorded April 12th 1878 John Crough Clerk
By Geo W. Hill, Deputy

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo
State of California
In the matter of the Estate of } Testimony of Subscribing Wit-
Almira Markley deceased } nesses on Probate of Will.
State of California }
County of Inyo } S.S.

J. C. Kingsley of lawful age and a competent witness being duly sworn in open Court testifies as follows: I reside in the County of Inyo State of California, I knew Almira Markley on the 8th day of February A.D. 1878 the date of the instrument now shown to me marked as filed in this Court on the 12th day of March A.D. 1878 purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said Almira Markley, I am one of the subscribing

witnesses to said instrument. I also knew at the said date of said instrument James Shaw, the other said subscribing witnesses. The said instrument was signed and sealed by the said Almira Markley at Bishop Creek Valley in the County of Inyo on the said 8th day of February A.D. 1878 the day it bears date in the presence of myself and of said James Shaw, and the said Almira Markley then upon published the said instrument and declared to us the same to be her last will and Testament and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said James Shaw and I then and there in the presence of the said Almira Markley and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument. At the time of executing the said instrument to wit the 8th day of February 1878 the said Almira Markley was over the age of eighteen years to wit of the age of forty five years or thereabouts and was of sound and disposing mind and not acting under duress menace fraud undue influence or misrepresentation. The deceased left Real Property consisting of two lots of the value of Eleven hundred dollars and Personal Property consisting of household furniture and stock of the value of about two hundred and fifty dollars. Subscribed and sworn to in open Court before me this 12th day of April A.D. 1878

John Crough Clerk

By Geo. McGill Deputy
In the Matter of the Estate of } In the Probate Court of the
of } County of Inyo
Almira Markley deceased } State of California
State of California }
County of Inyo } ss. Testimony of Applicant on
Probate of Will.

Geo. C. Alexander being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: I am the person

named as one of the executors in the document now shown to me marked as filed in this Court on the 12th day of March A.D. 1878 purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Almira Markley. I reside in the County of Inyo and am of the age of twenty one years and upwards. I knew said Almira Markley, she is dead, she died on or about the 20th day of February A.D. 1878 at Bishop Creek Valley in the County of Inyo State of California. At the time of her death she was a resident of the County of Inyo and left estate in the County of Inyo State of California, her real estate consisted of one acre of land on the east side of the County Road as her residence, and a piece of land being something less than five acres. The real estate is of the value of \$600⁰⁰/₁₀₀ or thereabouts, The personal property is of the value of \$350⁰⁰/₁₀₀ or thereabouts, The said estate and effects for or in respect of which the probate of said Will has been applied for does not exceed the value of \$950⁰⁰/₁₀₀. All of the estate of said deceased is separate property the same having been acquired during her widowhood, The said document came into my possession as follows to wit: The said document was delivered to me by said deceased and I believe the same to be her last Will and Testament, The next of kin of said deceased are Maggie Rogers of East Chain Lake Minnesota age unknown and Mary Brownson of Lansing Michigan age unknown and John B. Griffes residence and age unknown all of whom were children of said deceased. On the 8th day of February A.D. 1878 when said Will was executed said deceased was over the age of eighteen years being of the age of forty five years or thereabouts and was of sound and disposing mind.

Geo C. Alexander
Subscribed & sworn to before me this 12th day of April A.D. 1878. John Crough County Clerk
By Geo McGill Deputy

Filed April 12th 1878 John Crough Clerk

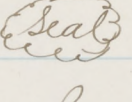
By Geo M. Guil Deputy Clerk
 Recorded the 12th day of April A.D., 1878
 in Book "H" of Wills Page 42

John Brough

Clerk

By Geo M. Guil Deputy Clerk

In the name of God. Amen.
 I, John A. Reddy, of the County of Inyo
 State of California, being of sound and
 disposing mind and memory, and not act-
 ing under duress, menace, fraud or undue
 influence of any person whatsoever, do make
 publish and declare this my last will and testa-
 ment in manner following, that is to say;
 I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah
 Jane Reddy now residing in the town of Black-
 stone, Massachusetts, all property both real
 and personal of which I may die possessed
 of, as well as all other property real or
 personal which may come to my estate
 And in case of the death of my said daughter
 without issue during the lifetime of my
 brother Patrick Reddy then the said estate or
 residue of my said estate shall go to my
 said brother Patrick Reddy. I hereby nominate
 and appoint by dearly beloved Brother Patrick
 Reddy of the town of Independence, in the County
 of Inyo, State of California guardian of the
 person and estate of my said daughter
 Sarah Jane Reddy and the executor of this
 my last will and Testament. In Witness Where-
 of I have hereunto set my hand and seal
 this second day of November in the year of our
 Lord one thousand eight hundred and seven-
 ty seven.

John A. Reddy 

The foregoing instrument consisting of one
 page, besides this at the date hereof, by the
 said John A. Reddy, signed sealed and publish-
 ed as, and declared to be his last will and
 Testament in presence of us, who at his
 request and in his presence, and in the

presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

John C. Irvine
Residing in Independence
Inyo County California
William L. Moore
Residing in Independence
Inyo County California

Filed August 3^d 1878. — John Crough — Clerk
Geo. M. Gill Deputy

Admitted to Probate October 1st 1878.

John Crough — Clerk.
In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo
State of California:

In the matter of the Estate

of John of
John A. Reddy
Deceased

Certification of Proof of Will,
and the Facts found.

State of California
County of Inyo J.S.

I, John A. Hannah Probate
Judge of the said County of Inyo, do hereby certify:
That on the First day of October A.D. 1878, the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of John A. Reddy deceased, and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein the said Court finds as follows: That said John A. Reddy died on about the Thirtieth day of November A.D. 1877 in the County of Inyo, State of California, that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime in the County of Inyo, State of California and was signed by said testator in the presence of W^m L. Moore and John C. Irvine, the subscribing witnesses thereto also that he acknowledge the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent at the time of executing

said Will was of the age of Eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind and not under restraint, or undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentation or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate. In Witness Whereof I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court under the Seal thereof this First day of October A.D. 1878.

John A. Hannah
Probate Judge

Attest: John Crough, Clerk
By Jas. E. Parker, Deputy.

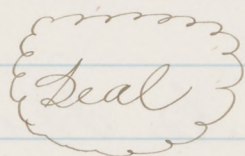
In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo
State of California:

In the matter of the estate of } Testimony of subscribing
John A. Reddy - Deceased } Witnesses on Probate of Will.
State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

William L. Moore of lawful age and a competent witness being duly sworn in open Court testifies as follows: I reside in the County of Inyo State of California. I knew John A. Reddy on the Second day of November A.D. 1877 the date of the instrument now shown to me marked as filed in this Court on the Third day of August A.D. 1878, purporting to be the last will and testament of John A. Reddy. I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument. I also knew, at the said date of said instrument John C. Drivis, the other of said subscribing witnesses. The said instrument was signed and sealed by said John A. Reddy at Independence in the County of Inyo on the said Second day of November A.D. 1877, the day it bears date, in the presence of myself and said John C. Drivis, and the said John A. Reddy thereupon published the said instrument as and declared to us the same to be his last will and testament and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said John C. Drivis and I then and there in the presence of ^{the} said John A. Reddy, and

in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument. At the time of executing said instrument to wit, the second day of November 1877 the said John A. Reddy was over the age of Eighteen years to wit of the age of over thirty or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation.

Subscribed and sworn to in open W. L. Moore Court, before me this First day of October A.D. 1878



Jno. Crough
Clerk

By Jas. E. Parker, Deputy Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo State of California,

In the matter of the estate of } Testimony of Subscribing
John A. Reddy, - Deceased } Witness on Probate of Will,
State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

John C. Irwin, of lawful age a competent witness being duly sworn in open Court testifies as follows: I reside in the County of Inyo, State of California. I knew John A. Reddy on the second day of November A.D. 1877 the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the third day of August A.D. 1878 purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said John A. Reddy. I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument. I also ~~had~~ knew at the said date of said instrument W. L. Moore, the other of said subscribing witnesses. The said instrument was signed and sealed by the said John A. Reddy at Independence in the County of Inyo on the said second day of November A.D. 1877, the day it bears date in the presence of myself and of said W. L. Moore, and the said John A. Reddy thereupon published the said instrument as, and declared to us the same to be, his last Will and Testament, and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said Will

L. Moore and I, then and there, in the presence of the said John A. Reddy, and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument. At the time of executing said instrument to wit the second day of November 1877, the said John A. Reddy was over the age of eighteen years to wit of the age of thirty two years or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind and not acting under duress menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation.

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court this first day of October A.D. 1878

(Seal) John Brough - Clerk

By Jas. E. Parker Dep. Clerk.

John C. Irwin

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo State of California:

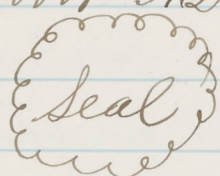
In the Matter of the estate of John A Reddy - Deceased } Testimony of subscribing Witness on Probate of Will.

In the matter of the estate of John A Reddy Deceased } In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo State of California
 State of California } ss. Testimony of applicant on Probate of Will

A.R. Conklin duly sworn in open Court testifies as follows: I reside in the County of Inyo. I am of the age of twenty one years and upwards, I knew said John A. Reddy he is dead, he died on or about the thirtieth day of November A.D. 1877. at Independence in the County of Inyo. State of California. At the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo. The said document came into my possession as follows: to wit it was delivered to me by John A. Reddy and I believe the same to be his last will and testament. On the second day of November A.D. 1877, when said Will was executed, the said deceased was over the age of eighteen years, being of the age of thirty one or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind.

A.R. Conklin

Subscribed and sworn to in open
Court before me this first day of
October AD. 1878.



John Brough
County Clerk

By Jas. E. Parker Deputy Clerk

Recorded the 5th day of October AD. 1878.

John Brough — Clerk.

Last will and Testament of John Lytle Denton

In the Name of God, Amen. I John Lytle Denton
at the 8 mile House my place of Residence in the
County of Inyo State of California being of sound
mind and memory, blessed be Almighty God for
the same do make and publish this my last will
and Testament

First, after the Payment of my just debts and
general expenses, I give devise and bequeath to my
daughter Harrett E. Garrett one half of all my personal
and Real estate, now living at Salt Creek just
County Utah Territory

Second the other half of my Personal and
Real Estate to be given to my daughter Sarah E.
Denton ~~now~~ living same place. Said property
to be sold and turned into money and said
money to be sent to my Daughters Share and
Share alike

Third. I hereby nominate and appoint Mr.
A Walters of the Lave Brewery at Camp Independence
the Executor of this my last will and Testament and
hereby authorize and empower him the said A Walters
to compound Compromise and settle any or all ~~debts~~
demands, which may be against or in favor of my said
Estate. In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and seal, this 26th day of July 1879

John Lytle Denton (S)

Signed and Published and Declared by the said
Testator to be his last will and Testament in
the Presence of us who have signed our names
at his request and witnesses in his presence and

presence of each other

Nathan Rhine

Isaac Harris

(Endorsed)

Filed Oct 6th 1879

John Brough Clerk

Admitted to Probate and recorded Oct 27th 1879 John Brough Clerk
In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo
State of California,

In the matter of the Estate of
John T Denton
Deceased

} Testimony of subscribing witnesses
on Probate of will

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss

Nathan Rhine of lawful age
and a competent witness being duly sworn in open
Court testifies as follows: I reside in the County
of Inyo, State of California. I knew John T Denton
on the 26th day of July A.D. 1879 the date of
the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed
in this Court on the 6th day of October A.D. 1879
purporting to be the last will and Testament of the
said John T Denton. I am one of the subscribing
witnesses to said instrument. I also knew at the said
date of said instrument Isaac Harris the other of said
subscribing witnesses. The said instrument was signed
and sealed by the said John T Denton at our office
in Independence in the County of Inyo on the said
26th day of July A.D. 1879 the day it bears date,
in the presence of myself and of said Isaac Harris
and the said John T Denton thereupon published the
said instrument as, and ~~did~~ declared to us the same to
be his last Will and Testament and requested us in
attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses.

The said Isaac Harris and I then and there in the presence
of the said John T Denton and in the presence of each
other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said
instrument. At the time of executing the said Instru-
ment: to wit the 26th day of July 1879 the said John T.
Denton was over the age of eighteen years, to wit of the
age of forty five years or thereabouts and was of sound
and disposing mind and not acting under duress
menace, fraud, undue influence, or misrepresentation

He left real and personal estate consisting of a ranch, horses and cattle and hogs, from the best information I have the property is worth twenty five hundred dollars

Subscribed and sworn to in open } Nathan Rhine
Court before me this 27th day
of October A.D. 1879

John Crough
Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of } Testimony of Subscribing
John T. Denton } witnesses on Probate of
Deceased } Will

State of California }
County of Inyo }
competent }
Paac Harris of lawful age, and a
competent witness, being duly sworn in open Court
testifies as follows, I reside in the County of Inyo
State of California. I knew John T. Denton on the
26th day of July A.D. 1879 the date of the instrument
now shown to me marked as filed in this Court on
the 6th day of October A.D. 1879 purporting to be
the last Will and Testament of the said John T.
Denton. I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said
instrument. I also knew at the said date of said
instrument Nathan Rhine the other of said subscri-
bing witnesses. The said instrument was signed and
sealed by the said John T. Denton at our office in
Independence in the County of Inyo on the said
26th day of July A.D. 1879 the day it bears date,
in the presence of myself and of said Nathan
Rhine and the said John T. Denton thereupon
published the said instrument as, and declared ~~the~~
to us the same to be, his last Will and Testament
and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the
same as witnesses. The said Nathan Rhine and I
then and there in the presence of the said John
T. Denton and in the presence of each other subscribed
our names as witnesses to the said instrument.

At the time of executing the said instrument
to wit: the 26th day of July 1879 the said John

T. Denton was over the age of eighteen years to wit: of the age of fifty years or thereabout, and was of sound and disposing mind and not acting under duress, undue fraud, undue influence, or misrepresentation. He left real and personal property consisting of a ranch horses and cattle.

Subscribed and sworn to in Isaac Harris
open court, before me this
27th day of October A.D. 1879

John Crough
Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo
State of California

In the matter of the Estate of } Testimony of Applicant
John T. Denton } on Probate of
Deceased } Will

C. A. Walters being duly sworn in open court testifies as follows. I am the person named as executor in the document now shown to me, marked as filed in this court on the sixth day of October A.D. 1879 purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John T. Denton.

I reside in the County of Inyo and am of the age of twenty-one years and upwards.

I know ^{said} John T. Denton he is dead, he died on or about the 3rd day of October A.D. 1879 at Eight Mile House in the County of Inyo State of California. At the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo and left estate both real and personal in the County of Inyo State of California.

The real estate is of the value of \$1250.00 or thereabouts and the annual rents, issues, and profits of said real estate amount to the sum of \$60.00 or thereabouts. The personal property is of the value of \$1200.00 or thereabouts. The said estate and effects, for or in respect of which the Probate of said Will has been applied for, does not exceed the value of \$2450.00.

The said document came into my possession as follows, to wit: The same was delivered to me by Nathan Rhine, and I believe the same to be the last will and Testament of John T. Denton.

The next of kin of said deceased are his two daughters Harriet Garrett and Sarah E. Denton.

on the 26th day of July A.D. 1879 when said Will was executed, said decedent was over the age of eighteen years being of the age of fifty two years or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind.

Subscribed and sworn to me
open court, before me this 27th } C. A. Walters
day of October A.D. 1879 }

John Crough
County Clerk

Recorded the 27th day of October A.D. 1879

John Crough
Clerk

In the Probate Court of the County of Inyo State
of California

In the matter of the Estate of
John T. Denton
Deceased

} Certificate of Proof of Will.
and the facts found

State of California)
County of Inyo ss

I John A. Hannah Probate Judge of said
County, do hereby certify: That on the twenty seventh day
of October A.D. 1879 the annexed instrument was admitted
to probate as the last will and testament of John T. Denton
deceased, and from the Proofs taken and the examinations
had therein the said Court finds as follows:

That said John T. Denton died on or about the third
day of October A.D. 1879 in the County of Inyo State
of California that at the time of his death he was a
resident of the County of Inyo State of California
that the said annexed Will was duly executed
by the said decedent in his lifetime in the County
of Inyo, State of California and signed by the said
testator in the presence of Nathan Rhine and Isaac
Harris the subscribing witnesses thereto: also that he
acknowledged the execution of the same in their
presence and declared the same to be the last Will
and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the
same at his request in his presence and in the presence
of each other: that said decedent at the time of executing
said Will was of the age of eighteen years and upwards was
of sound and disposing mind and not under restraint
undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentations or
in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath

his estate

In Witness whereof I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said Court under the seal thereof this twenty seventh day of October A D 1879

John A Hannah
Probate Judge

Attest
Seal John Crough
Clerk

The Last Will & Testament of Samuel Turner
Dated Feby. 24th 1879

Bellville Nevada February 24th 1879

Know all men by these presents that I Samuel Turner of Benton Mono County California in sound mind and of my own free will and accord in the presence of the witnesses subscribed below do hereby make this my last will and Testament. It is my desire and will that my brother A. G. Turner shall have the residue after all my debts are paid of all my property in case of my death, consisting in Mono County California of one house Lot and furniture in the town of Benton, and one ranch on Bishop Creek. Known as the Turner Ranch and one span of bay horses. and all other property wheresoever to be found belonging to me. And in case of my death it is my desire and will that the said A. G. Turner shall be appointed my executor to carry out the provisions of this my last will and Testament without Bonds

Witness my hand and seal presence of - this 24th day of February 1879

Witnesses

Samuel Turner

Dr. A. Marrotte

W. S. Stone

(Endorsed) Exhibit A, The Last Will & Testament of Samuel Turner, Dated Feby 24 1879 Filed Oct 20th 1879

John Crough Clerk

Recorded January 13th 1879 in Book "A" of Wills page 54

John Crough
County Recorder

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will and
Samuel Turner } the Facts found
Deceased }

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss

I John A Hannah Superior Judge of said County, do hereby certify: That on the day of January A.D. 1880 the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Samuel Turner deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Samuel Turner died on or about the twenty fifth day of February A.D. 1879, in the County of Esmeralda State of Nevada that at the time of his death he left an Estate in the County of Inyo State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by said decedent in life time in the County of Esmeralda State of Nevada, and signed by said testator in the presence of W. S. Stone, and A. Marrotte the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be the last Will and Testament and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentation, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

For Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof this 13th day of January A.D. 1880.

John A Hannah
Superior Judge

Attest John Crough
Clerk

(Endorsed) Superior Court County of Inyo. In the matter of the Estate of Samuel Turner Deceased, Certificate of Proof of Will and the facts found Filed January 13th 1880 John Crough Clerk

Before God

I William Lowe of Lone Pine Inyo County State of California in sound mind direct these lines, on the fourteenth day of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and seventy nine. I here declare it to be my will that to Ida C Adams of Lone Pine Inyo ^{Inyo} County State of California be given as my bequest all my personal property and all of my real estate wheresoever situated for her own use and disposal and to her heirs and assigns forever and I also appoint Mary McCall and Ida C Adams or either of them Administratrix of my estate and I here make public and declare affirm this alone to be my last will and Testament in shewness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written

Lone Pine Inyo County } William Lowe
State of California June 23rd 1879

Signed in presence of Sabine W Blaisdell

O P Macarter

Witness signature of ~~Sabine~~ O P Macarter

Sabine W Blaisdell

Witness signature of Sabine W Blaisdell

O P Macarter

(Endorsed) Filed October 1st 1880 John Lough Clerk

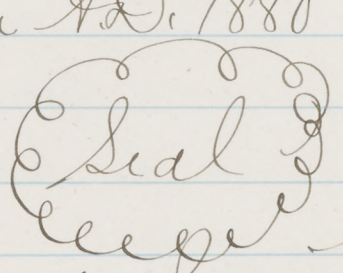
In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo State of California

In the matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will
Wm Lowe } and the facts found

Deceased
I, John A Hannah Superior Judge of said County, do hereby certify: That on the thirtieth day of October A.D. 1880 the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of William Lowe deceased. and from the proofs taken and the examination had therein, the said Court finds as follows: That said William Lowe died on or about the Twenty eighth day of September A.D. 1880. in the County of Inyo State of California. that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life time in the County of Inyo State of

California and signed by the said testator in the presence of Sabine H Blaisdell and D P Macarter the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence or fraudulent misrepresentation, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said court, under the seal thereof, this 30th day of October A.D. 1880



John A Hannah

Superior Judge

Attest

John Gough Clerk

(Endorsed) Superior Court County of Inyo,

In the matter of the Estate of William Lowe Deceased
Certificate of Proof of Will and the facts herein
Filed October 30th 1880 John Gough Clerk

Recorded the 30th day of October 1880

John Gough
Clerk

In the Superior Court, in and for the County of Inyo
State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of William Lowe Deceased } Testimony of Subscribing
witnesses on Probate of Will

State of California }
County of Inyo }

Sabine H Blaisdell of lawful age, and a competent witness, being duly sworn in open court, testifies as follows. I reside in the County of Inyo, State of California, and over eighteen years of age. I knew William Lowe on the 23rd day of June 1879, the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the 1st day of October 1880, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said William Lowe. I am one of

the subscribing witnesses to said instrument. I also knew at the said date of said instrument D P Macarter the other of said subscribing witnesses. The said instrument by the said William Lowe at the town of Lone Pine in the County of Inyo on the said 23rd day of June 1879 the day it bears date, in the presence of myself and of said D P Macarter, and the said William Lowe thereupon published the said instrument as, and declared to us the same to be his last Will and Testament and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said D P Macarter and I then and there, in the presence of the said William Lowe and the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument. At the time of executing the said instrument, to wit: the 23rd day of June 1879 the said William Lowe was over the age of 50 years, or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence, or misrepresentation or subscribed and sworn to in open court: before me this 30th day of October 1880

Real D John Crough

In the Superior Court in and for the County of Inyo State of California

In the matter of the Estate of }
William Lowe

Deceased

Testimony of Applicant on Probate of Will

State of California }
County of Inyo }

Mary M^cCall being duly sworn in open court, testifies as follows:

I am Mary M^cCall one of the persons named as executrix in the document now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the first day of October 1880, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of William Lowe. I reside in the County of Inyo and am over the age of twenty-one years.

I knew the said William Lowe. He is dead. He died on or about the 28th day of September 1880 at Lone Pine in the County of Inyo State of California. At the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo and left estate both real and personal

in the County of Inyo State of California.
The real estate is of the value of \$3000⁰⁰, or thereabouts
and the annual rents, issues and profits of said real
estate amount to the sum of \$200⁰⁰ or thereabouts.

The personal property is of the value of \$300⁰⁰ or
thereabouts. The said estate and effects, for or in respect
of which the probate of said will has been applied for
does not exceed the value of \$3300⁰⁰ of the estate of
said deceased is separate property, the same having
been acquired while unmarried.

The said document came into my possession as follows
to wit: The said document was delivered to me by William
Lowe the deceased at the time of its execution for safe
keeping and I believe the same to be his last will and
Testament. The next of kin of said deceased are unknown
to me. On the 23rd day of June 1879, when said will
was executed, said deceased was over the age of eighteen
years, being of the age of 45 years or thereabouts, and
was of sound and disposing mind. There are six hundred
acres of Real Estate, it is all grass land except about
20 acres, at least not cultivated. Personal property
consists of 2 horses mowing machine horse rake wagon
and harness

Subscribed and sworn to, in open
Court before me, this 30th day
of October 1880

(Seal) John Brough
County Clerk

(Endorsed) Superior Court County of Inyo.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Lowe Deceased
Testimony on Probate of Will.

Filed October 30th 1880 John Brough Clerk

Recorded the 30th day of October 1880, in Book A
of Wills page 57-58 & 59

John Brough
Clerk

Nov 29th 1880
Bishop Creek

I J R Shesterwelt of sound mind and in the possession of my faculties declare this to be my last will and Testament which is that Jas Jones of Fish Springs and S. P. Moffatt of Independence be my Executors without bonds the provisions of this will are that all my property be disposed of and my just debts and liabilities paid and after they have taken compensation for services all remaining be paid to my sister Susan Rosebrook of Squan Village Monmouth New Jersey or her heir (my niece Elizabeth Hankins of same place in consideration of which I hereby subscribe my true and lawful name

John Ryar Shesterwelt

(Endorsed) Filed December 6th 1880 John Gough Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo State of California

In the matter of the Estate of
John Ryar Shesterwelt deceased }

State of California } ss
County of Inyo }

I, John A. Hannah, Superior Judge of said County do hereby certify.

That on the 28 day of December 1880 the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of John Ryar Shesterwelt deceased and from the proofs taken and the examinations had thereon the said Court finds as follows, to wit; That said John Ryar Shesterwelt died on or about the 30th day of November 1880, in the County of Inyo, State of California, that at the time of his death he was a resident of said County of Inyo, State of California that the said annexed will was dated, written and signed wholly in the hand writing of the said decedent in his life time in the said County of Inyo, State of California; that the said decedent at the time of executing said will was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue

influence or misrepresentation, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate

In witness whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 28th day of December A.D. 1880

(Seal)

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge

Attest John Gough Clerk
(Endorsed) "Superior Court Inyo County State of California
In the matter of the Estate of John R. Westervelt, Certificate
of Proof of Will and the facts found, Filed December
28th 1880 John Gough Clerk."

Recorded 28th day of December 1880

John Gough
County Recorder

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of }
John Ryar Westervelt Deceased }
State of California County of Inyo }^{as}

J. D. Wairs of
lawful age and a competent witness, being duly
sworn in open Court, testifies as follows;
I reside in the town of Independence in the County
of Inyo, State of California I knew John R. Westervelt
in his life time. He is dead. he died on or about the
30th day of November 1880, at the saloon of Jack Horton
in Bishop Creek in the ^{said} County of Inyo. I was
with him at the time of his death, and was frequent-
ly in his company for several days previous to
his death. Had known him for about six years and
had business relations with him. I have received
letters from him and am well acquainted with
his signature and hand writing.

The instrument now shown to me marked as
filed in this Court on the 6th day of December 1880
purporting to be the last will and testament of the
said John Ryar Westervelt was handed to me by
J. B. Swearingen on the 30th day of December 1880
and after the death of said Westervelt, from my
knowledge of the hand writing of the said John
R. Westervelt, I believe the whole of said instrument

including the signature thereto, and the date thereof to be in the hand writing of the said John R Westervelt.

At the date of said instrument to wit: the 29th day of November 1880, the said John Ryar Westervelt was over the age of eighteen years to wit: of the age of forty & over years or thereabouts and was of sound and disposing mind and was not on said date or at any time prior to his death to my knowledge acting under duress menace fraud undue influence or misrepresentation.

The said John Ryar Westervelt was the same person generally spoken of, and referred to as John R Westerville.

J. D. Mairs
Subscribed and Sworn to before
me this 28th day of December 1880

John Lough
Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo State
of California

In the Matter of the Estate of }
John R Westervelt, Deceased }
State of California } ss
County of Inyo }

James E Parker of lawful
age, and a competent witness, being duly
sworn in open Court, testifies as follows:

I reside at Independence in the County of
Inyo, State of California;

I am one of the publishers of the Inyo Independent
a newspaper in said County of Inyo, and also
Deputy County Clerk and ex-officio Deputy
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said County.

I knew John R Westervelt in his life time.
Had been acquainted with him for ten or twelve
years

He was a member of the Board of Supervisors
of Inyo County at the time of his death and
Chairman of said Board. I am well acquainted
with his hand writing. The instrument now
shown to me marked as filed in this Court on
the 6th day of December 1880 - purporting to be
the last will and testament of the said John
R Westervelt, ~~including~~ is wholly in the hand

writing of the said John R Shesterwelt, including the body of said instrument, the signature thereto, and the date thereof.

At the time of the date of said instrument, to wit: November 29th 1880 the said John R Shesterwelt was over the age of eighteen years to wit: of the age of fifty years or thereabouts.

The said John Ryar Shesterwelt, was the same person generally spoken of and known as John R Shesterwelt. That in a certain conversation had between himself and the said John R Shesterwelt the said Shesterwelt informed him that his full and true name was John Ryar Shesterwelt, and that the reason of signing his name as Shesterwelt, instead of Shesterwelt was because it had become to be generally so pronounced and written by his acquaintances.

James E Parker
Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 28th
day of December 1880

(Seal)

John Frough
Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California

In the matter of the Estate of }
John Ryar Shesterwelt - deceased }
State of California } ss
County of Inyo }

S P Moffat being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows.

I am one of the persons named as Executors in the document now shown to me marked as filed in this Court on the 6th day of December 1880, purporting to be the last will and testament of John Ryar Shesterwelt. I reside in the town of Independence in the County of Inyo and am of the age of twenty one years and upwards. I know the said John Ryar Shesterwelt he is dead. He died at the Saloon of Jack Horton in the town of Bishop Creek in the County of Inyo, and State of California on or about the 30th day of December 1880, as I am informed and believe.

I had known the said Shesterwelt for the past fourteen years and upwards. I have often seen

said Hesterwilt write and am well acquainted with his hand writing, and with his signature.

From my knowledge of the signature and hand writing of said Hesterwilt, I believe the said document marked as filed in this Court on the said 6th day of December 1880 and purporting to be the last will and testament of said John Ryar Hesterwilt to be entirely in the hand writing of said Hesterwilt including the body of said document, the signature thereto, and the date thereof. I know the said John Ryar Hesterwilt to have been the same person usually spoken of, and referred to as John R Hesterwilt.

At the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California and left estate both real and personal in said County & State.

The real estate is of the value of four thousand dollars or thereabouts. The personal property is of the value of three thousand dollars or thereabouts. The said estate and effects, for and in respect of which the probate of said will has been applied for does not exceed the value of seven thousand dollars.

The said document came into my possession as follows, to wit, The said document was handed to me in the presence of James Jones named therein as co-executor, by J D Wairs of the town of Independence County and State aforesaid ^{and} I believe the same to be his last will and testament. The next of kin of said deceased, so far as known by me, are his sister Susan Rosebrook and his niece Elizabeth Hankins (the ages of whom are unknown to me) all residing in Monmouth County New Jersey.

On the 29th day of November 1880 when said will was executed, said deceased was over the age of eighteen years, being of the age of fifty years or thereabouts and was of sound and disposing mind.

S P Moffat

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 28th day of December 1880

(Seal) John Coughlin
Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California

In the matter of the Estate of }
John Ryar Westervelt deceased }
State of California } ss
County of Inyo }

John Cough of lawful age
and a competent witness being duly sworn
testifies as follows:

I reside in the town of Independence
County of Inyo State of California & am
County Clerk of said County & ex officio Clerk
of the board of Supervisors

I knew John Ryar Westervelt in his life time,
he was a resident of said County of Inyo, and
at the time of his death was a member of the
Board of Supervisors of said County and Chairman
of said Board of Supervisors. I am well acquainted
with his signature and hand writing. The document
now shown to me marked as filed in this Court on
the 6th day of December 1880, purporting to be the last
will and testament of the said John Ryar Westervelt
according to the best of my knowledge and belief,
is in the hand writing of said Westervelt includ-
ing the signature thereto, and the date thereof.

I know the said John Ryar Westervelt to have been
the same person generally spoken of, and referred to,
as John R Westerville

Subscribed & Sworn to
before me this 28th day of
Dec 1880

John Cough

(Seal)

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge

(Endorsed) In the Superior Court County of Inyo
In the matter of the Estate of John Ryar Westervelt
Deceased, Testimony on Probate of Will.

Filed December 28th 1880, John Cough Clerk
Recorded December 28th 1880

John Cough
County Recorder

En el nombre de Dios Todopoderoso. -
 Yo Epitacio Gomez, creyendo que a consecuencia de
 un ataque que ultimamente he sufrido podia, ser
 causa de mi muerte. y estando á esta fecha sano
 de alma y espíritu, y con todas mis sentidos ca-
 balis he dispuesto El hacer mi testamento. - El
 cual hago hoy en la presencia de los testigos a-
 bajo firmados, y declaro que todo lo aqui es-
 crito es mi ultima voluntad por la cual de-
 claró y constituyo como unica y legitima heredera
 de todo lo que sea reconocido por mio (ya sea ó
 no aqui especificado detalladamente) á mi muy querida
 Esposa Francisca Villegas de Gomez á la cual dejo
 y lego todas mis propiedades para que de ellas
 disponga y disfrute de la manera que ella crea con-
 veniente sin restriccion ninguna constituyendola al mismo
 tiempo como la unica ejecutora de esta mi ultima
 voluntad y testamento para que mi las leyes ni au-
 toridad ninguna ni otras personas se mezclen en
 querer, manejar ninguna parte de mi propiedad, como
 ejecutores, albaceas ó agentes, a no ser que sea con en-
 tero consentimiento de mi dicha Esposa Francisca Villegas
 de Gomez mi unica y universal heredera, á la
 cual encargo que despues de pagar todas mis
 deudas y los gastos de mi funeral y testament-
 ario, disponga de todo lo restante como mejor le
 convenga, y pido por esta mi ultima voluntad á
 las autoridades competentes que sancionen y
 autorizen si necesario fuere todo lo contenido en
 este documento para que mi dicha heredera y ejec-
 utora no tenga en lo sucesivo dificultad ninguna en
 disputar sola del corto legado que por este le dejo -

Epitacio Gomez

Este testamento es hecho y firmado en ^{su marca} Santiago Leon-
 dado de Inyo Estado de California el dia diez y
 seis de Setiembre de 1881 á las once de la noche -

Epitacio Gomez
 su marca

Testigos-Isabel Rodriguez de Villegas -

Certifico como testigo y testigo que D^{no} Epitacio
 Gomez, autorizo a mi Esposa Isabel Rodriguez de
 Villegas - para que escribiese el arriba testamento
 viernes 16 de Setiembre del año de 1881 -

Leontago, Inyo County, Cal. -

A. T. Villigas

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California: -

In the matter of the Estate

of } Certificate of Proof of Will and
Epitacio Gomez - Deceased } the Facts found. -

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss. - I, John A. Hannah, Superior
Judge of the said County, do hereby certify: that on
the twenty-fourth day of October A.D. 1881, the annexed
Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will
and Testament of Epitacio Gomez, deceased, and from
the proofs taken and the examinations had therein
the said Court finds, as follows:

That the said Epitacio Gomez died on or about the
twenty-second day of September A.D. 1881, in the
County of Inyo, State of California and that at the
time of his death he was a resident of the County
of Inyo, State of California, that the said annexed Will
was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime
in the County of Inyo, State of California and signed
by the said testator in the presence of Isabel Rod-
riguez de Villigas and A. T. Villigas, the subscribing
witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution
of the same in their presence and declared the same to be
his the last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses
attested the same at his request in his presence and in
the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at
the time of executing said Will was of the age of
eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and
disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue
influence or fraudulent misrepresentation, nor in any
respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate. -

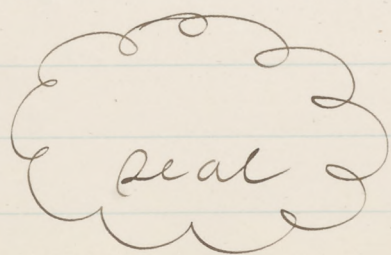
In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and
caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said
Court, under seal thereof, this twenty-fourth day of
October A.D. 1881 -

John A. Hannah

Superior Judge

Attest: John Lerough,

Clerk. -



In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California. -

In the matter of the Estate of Epitacio Gomez-Deceased } Testimony of Subscribing
Witness on Probate of Will -

State of California,

County of Inyo } ss. - A. T. Villegas of lawful age, and
a competent witness, being duly sworn in open
court, testifies as follows: I reside in the County of
Inyo, State of California and over eighteen years of
age; I knew Epitacio Gomez on the 22 day of Sept.
1881, the date of the instrument now shown to me,
marked as filed in this court on the 3rd day of October
1881, purporting to be the last will and Testament of
the said Epitacio Gomez, - I am one of the subscribing
witnesses to said instrument - I also know at the said
date of said instrument Isabel Rodriguez de Villegas
the other of said subscribing witnesses - the said in-
strument was signed by the said Isabel Rodriguez
de Villegas at Blancha in the County of Inyo, State
on the said 16th day of September 1881, the day it bears
date, in the presence of myself and of said Isabel
Rodriguez de Villegas and the said Epitacio Gomez
thereupon published the said instrument as, and
declared to us the same to be his last Will and
Testament, and requested us in attestation thereof
to sign the same as witnesses, - the said Isabel
Rodriguez de Villegas and I, then and there, in
the presence of the said Epitacio Gomez and in
the presence of each other, subscribed our names
as witnesses to the said instrument. - At the time
of executing the said instrument, to wit: the 16th
day of September 1881, the said Epitacio Gomez was
over the age of eighteen years, to wit of the age of
54 years, or thereabouts, and was of sound and
disposing mind and not acting under duress
menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation.

Subscribed and sworn to in
open court, before me, this
24th day of October 1881 -

John Crough
Clerk

A. T. Villegas. -

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California.~

In the matter of the Estate
of
Epitácio Gomez - Deceased }

Francisca V. de Gomez being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows, I am the person named as Executor in the document now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the 3rd day of September 1881, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Epitácio Gomez - I reside in the County of Inyo, and am of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, I know said Epitácio Gomez, he is dead; he died on or before about the 22nd day of September 1881, in Lone Pine in the County of Inyo State of California. - At the time of his death he was a resident of Inyo County and left estate both real and personal in said County and State.

The real estate of the value of fifteen hundred dollars or thereabouts, the personal property is of the value of one thousand dollars or thereabouts. -

The said estate and affects for or in respect of which the Probate of said will has been applied for does not exceed the value of Twenty-five hundred dollars. - all of said is common property the same having been acquired after his marriage - The said document came into my possession as follows, to wit: Isabel Rodriguez de Villegas gave it to me. - and I believe the same to be his last will and Testament. -

On the 16th day of September Mr. Epitácio Gomez was of the age of about 60 years

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 24th day of October, 1881

John Crough

clerk

Francisca V. de Gomez -

Recorded on the 24th day of October 1881

John Crough Clerk
County Recorder

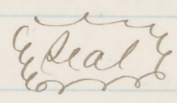
J. J. L. Wood of the County of Inyo State of California, of the age of sixty two years of sound and disposing mind and memory not acting under duress menace fraud or undue influence of any person whatsoever do make publish and declare this my last will and Testament, in manner following, to wit:

First, I direct that my Executor hereinafter named pay my funeral expenses, and the expenses of my last sickness.

Second, I give and bequeath to my Friends, Abraham Parker and Mrs E. H. Johnson of the town of Independence in the County and State aforesaid, in consideration of their attention and kindness, all the residue of the property both real and personal and of whatsoever nature share and share alike of which I may die possessed.

Lastly, I appoint Abraham Parker of the within named County & State the Executor of this my last Will and Testament and hereby revoke all former wills made by me.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13th day of September A.D. 1882,

J. L. Wood 

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this was at the date hereof by the said J. L. Wood signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

W. H. George

S. P. Moffat

Both residing at Independence Inyo Co

(Endorsed) "Filed February 6th 1883"

"John Crough Clerk"

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo State of California

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In the Matter of }
the Estate of J. L. Wood }
deceased } Testimony of Subscribing
State of California } Witnesses on Probate of Will
County of Inyo } ss

S. P. Moffat of lawful age,
and a competent witness, being duly sworn
in open Court, testifies as follows:

I reside in the Independence County of Inyo
State of California. I knew J. L. Wood on the
13th day of September 1882 the date of the
instrument now shown to me, marked as filed
in this Court of the Sixth day of February
1883, purporting to be the last Will and
Testament of the said J. L. Wood.

I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said
instrument. I also knew at the said date of
said instrument, W. H. George the other of said
subscribing witnesses. The said instrument was
signed and sealed by the said J. L. Wood at
Independence in the County of Inyo on the
said 13th day of September 1882, the day it
bears date, in the presence of myself and of
said W. H. George and the said J. L. Wood
thereupon published the said instrument as,
and declared to us the same to be his last
Will and Testament and requested us in
attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses.
The said W. H. George and I then and there in
the presence of the said J. L. Wood and in the
presence of each other, subscribed our names
as witnesses to the said instrument.

At the time of executing the said instrument,
to wit: the 13th day of September 1882, said J. L.
Wood was over the age of eighteen years, to wit:
of the age of sixty four years or thereabouts, and
was of sound and disposing mind, and not
acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue
influence or misrepresentation.

Subscribed and sworn to in open
Court before me this 1st day of March 1883

(S. P. Moffat)
John Crough Clerk

In the Matter of
the Estate of
J. L. Wood
Deceased

In the Superior Court of the
County of Inyo State of
California

State of California } ss Testimony of Applicant
County of Inyo } on Probate of Will

Abraham Parker being
duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows:

I am the person named as executor in the document now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the Sixth day of February 1883 purporting to be the last Will and Testament of J. L. Wood. I reside in the County of Inyo and am of the age of twenty one years and upwards. I knew said J. L. Wood he is dead. he died on or about the fourth day of February 1883 at Independence in the County of Inyo State of California. At the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo and left estate in the County of Inyo State of California.

The real estate is of the value of \$300⁰⁰ or thereabouts, and the annual rents, issues and profits of said real estate, amount to the sum of \$- or thereabouts.

The personal property is of the value of \$400⁰⁰ or thereabouts.

The said estate and effects, for or in respect of which the probate of said will has been applied for, does not exceed the value of 700⁰⁰ of the estate of said deceased is Individual property. The said document came into my possession as follows to wit, at the hands of John Crough Clerk of this Court and I believe the same to be his last Will and Testament. That said deceased left no kin or heirs at law to the knowledge of this affiant.

On the thirteenth day of September 1882 when said Will was executed, said deceased was over the age of eighteen years, being of ~~round~~ the age of sixty four years or thereabouts, and was of sound mind and disposing mind

Abraham Parker

Subscribed and Sworn to in
open Court before me this
first day of March 1883
Clerk John Crough
County Clerk

Recorded the first day of March 1883,
John Crough
Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California

In the Matter of the Estate }
J L Wood Deceased }

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I John A. Stannard Superior
Judge of the County of Inyo do hereby certify
That on the first day of March 1883, the annexed
instrument was admitted to probate as the
last Will and testament of J. L. Wood deceased
and from the proofs taken and the examinations
had herein the said Court finds as follows,
That said J L Wood died on or about the 4th
day of February 1883, in the County of Inyo,
State of California, that at the time of his
death he was a resident of said County and
State that the said annexed will was duly ex-
ecuted by the said decedent in his life time
in said County of Inyo State of California,
and signed by the testator in the presence of
W. H. George and S. P. Moffat the subscribing witnesses
thereto, also that he acknowledged the execution
of the same in their presence and declared the
same to be his last will and testament, and
the said witnesses attested the same at his request
in his presence and in the presence of each
other; that the said decedent at the time of executing
said will, was of the age of Eighteen years and
upwards was of sound and disposing mind
and not acting under duress, menace fraud,
undue influence or misrepresentation nor in any

respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate

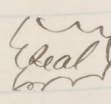
In Witness Whereof I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court under the Seal thereof this 1st day of March 1883.

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge

Attest
Pearl John Brough
Clerk

I Joseph L. Garrison of the town of Bishop Creek County of Inyo State of California being ill but sound in mind do by these presents make this my last will and testament and give and bequeath all my estate real and personal of which I may die seized and possessed of to my beloved wife Julia Garrison and at my death my said wife Julia Garrison to enter into and control and own all my property real and personal and to pay all my just debts out of said property and without any formality of law applying to Probate Court for order of sale or allowing creditors bills against the Estate. I wish that all my business be settled at the least expense and do not wish anything to be done in Probate Court excepting that which is absolutely necessary the proving of the will and my property to be disposed of as my wife Julia Garrison as in her pleasure she may direct and pay my debts and arrange with my creditors in her own behalf and I hereby appoint Julia Garrison Executrix and Charles W. Garrison Executor both of Bishop Creek Inyo County California of this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this first day of December A.D. 1882.

Joseph L. Garrison 

On this first day of December 1882 the foregoing will was read to the said Joseph L. Garrison and executed by him in the presence of us and each other and declared by said Joseph L. Garrison to be his last will and Testament and we subscribed our names as a witness thereto at his request in the presence of the said J. L. Garrison and each other

Frank Shaw

J. B. Chamberlain

(Endorsed.) Filed March 1st 1883. John Brough Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of
Inyo State of California

In the Matter of the

Estate of }
Joseph L. Garrison }
Deceased }

Testimony of Subscribing Witnesses
on Probate of Will

State of California } ss
County of Inyo }

James B. Chamberlain
of lawful age and a competent witness, being
duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows
I reside in the County of Inyo State of California
I knew Joseph L. Garrison on the first day
of December 1882, the date of the instrument
now shown to me marked as filed in this
Court on the first day of March 1883 purporting
to be the last will and Testament of the said Joseph
L. Garrison. I am one of the subscribing witnesses
to said instrument. I also knew at the said date
of said instrument Frank Shaw the other of said
subscribing witnesses. The said instrument was
signed and sealed by the said Joseph L. Garrison
of Bishop Creek in the County of Inyo on the
first day of December 1882, the day it bears date
in the presence of myself and of said Frank Shaw
and the said Joseph L. Garrison thereupon publis-
hed the said instrument as, and declared the
same to be his last will and Testament and
requested us in attestation thereof to sign the
same as witnesses. The said Frank Shaw and
I then and there in the presence of each other

subscribed our names the said Joseph L Garrison and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument. At the time of executing the said to wit: the first day of December 1882 the said Joseph L Garrison was over the age of eighteen years to wit of the age of sixty five years or thereabouts, and was of ~~sound~~ sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation.

Subscribed and sworn to
in open Court before me
this nineteenth day of
March 1883

James B Chamberlain

Plat

John Brough
Clerk

In the Matter of the
Estate of

Joseph L Garrison

In the Superior Court
of the County of Inyo
State of California

State of California } as Testimony of Applicant
County of Inyo } on Probate of Will

Charles W Garrison being duly sworn in open Court testifies as follows I am one of the persons named as executor in the document now shown me, marked as filed in this Court on the first day of March 1883, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Joseph L Garrison.

I reside in the County of Inyo and am of the age of twenty-one years and upwards.

I know said Joseph L Garrison he is dead, he died on or about the twenty third day of January 1883, at San Francisco in the City and County of San Francisco State of California. At the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo and left estate in the said County of Inyo State of California.

The real estate is of the value of \$2200⁰⁰ or thereabouts and the annual rents issues and profits of said real estate amount to the sum of \$300⁰⁰ or thereabouts. The personal property is of

the value of \$950⁰⁰ or thereabouts That said estate and effects for or in respect of which the probate of said will has been applied for does not exceed the value of \$3150⁰⁰ all of the estate of said deceased is community property the same having been acquired after his marriage. The said document came into my possession and follows to wit. The said last will and testament of Joseph L Garrison was left in the possession of Seth Is Shuden and by him delivered to the Clerk of the Superior Court of Inyo County and I believe the same to be his last Will and Testament The next of kin of said deceased are Juliet Garrison the wife of said deceased aged about fifty six years residing in Inyo County Cal. Charles W Garrison your petitioner a son of said deceased aged thirty six years residing in Inyo County State of California and Frank Garrison a son of said deceased aged thirty four residing in the State of New York On the first day of December 1882 when said Will was executed, said deceased was over the age of eighteen years being of the age of fifty five years or thereabouts and was of sound and disposing mind

Subscribed and sworn } Charles W Garrison
to in open Court before
me, this nineteenth day
of March 1883.

(Seal) John Crough
County Clerk

In the Superior Court in and for the County of
Inyo State of California

In the Matter of the }
Estate of }
Joseph L Garrison }
Deceased }

State of California }
County of Inyo }

I John A Hannah Judge
of the Superior Court in and for the County of

Jury State of California, do hereby certify, that on the nineteenth day of March A.D. 1883 the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Joseph L. Garrison deceased and that from the proofs taken and the examination had therein the said Court finds as follows:

That said Joseph L. Garrison died on about the 23rd day of January 1883, in the City and County of San Francisco State of California that at the time of his death he was of sound and a resident of the County of Inyo State of California that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life time in the County of Inyo State of California and signed by the said Testator ~~by~~ in the presence of James B. Chamberlain and Frank Shaw the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last will and testament and witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other that the said decedent at the time of executing said will was of the age of eighteen years and upwards was of sound and disposing mind and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court under the Seal thereof this 19 day of March A.D. 1883.

John A. Wainwright
Judge of the Superior Court

Attest
[Seal] John Crough
Clerk

In the name of God, Amen. I, James Shepherd of Georges Creek, Onondaga County, State of California, being of sound and disposing mind, and memory make, publish and declare the following my last Will and Testament, viz:

I give, devise and bequeath to my brother John Shepherd, all property, real, personal and mixed, whether in possession or expectancy, whereof I shall die possessed, or to which I may be entitled, and I nominate and appoint him to be the sole executor of this, my Will, and direct that no bond or security be required from him, for the discharge of his duties as such. I also give to my said executor power as such to lease, sell and convey all or any part of my property, real, personal or mixed, absolutely without applying to any Court for license or authority so to do and without accounting to any Court with respect thereto, or with respect to the management, disposition or proceeds of any sale of the Property, real personal, or mixed belonging to my estate.

In thus bequeathing all my estate to my brother John Shepherd, to the exclusion of my other blood relatives, I am moved by no want of fraternal affection for them, but by the feelings of Justice toward my brother John Shepherd and to his well beloved wife and Children, who have contributed as much and more by their united labor by which my estate has been acquired and accumulated and therefore justice will be better served thereby.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this fourth day of December A. D. 1883.

James Shepherd.

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this was at the date hereof, by the said James Shepherd signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witness thereto Isaac Harris Residing at Independence Cal.
H. P. Cartier, Residing at Independence Cal.

In the Superior Court, of the County of
Imyo, State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of James Shepherd, deceased } Certificate of Proof of Will
State of California } ss.
County of Imyo

I John A. Stannish
Superior Judge of said County, do hereby Certify
That on the Twenty-sixth day of February A.D.
1884 the annexed Instrument was admitted to
Probate as the last Will and Testament of James
Shepherd, deceased, and from the proofs taken
and the examination had therein, the said
Court finds as follows:

That the said James Shepherd died on or about
the Fifth day of February A.D. 1884 in the County
of Imyo, State of California that at the time of
his death he was a resident of the County of
Imyo, State of California, that the said an-
nexed Will was duly executed by the said de-
cedent, in his life time, in the County of
Imyo State of California, and signed by the
said testator in the presence of Isaac Harris
and H. P. Cartier, the subscribing witnesses thereto;
also that he acknowledged the execution of the same
in their presence, and declared the same to be
his last Will and Testament, and the said
Witnesses attested the same at his request in his
presence and in the presence of each other; that
the said decedent at the time of executing said
Will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards,
was of sound and disposing mind, and not
under restraint, undue influence or fraudulent
misrepresentation, nor in any respect incompetent
to devise and bequeath his estate.

On Witness Whereof, I have signed this
certificate and caused the same to be attested
by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal there-
of, this twenty sixth day of February A.D. 1884

Attest John Bough
Clerk

John A. Stannish
Superior Judge.

By Jas. E. Parker Deputy.

I, Albert H. Johnson of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of thirty eight years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatsoever, do make publish and declare this my last will and Testament in manner following that is to say;

First: I direct that my Executrix hereinafter named out of the personal property of which I may die possessed pay all my just debts and liabilities.

Second: All the residue or remainder of my property, both real and personal, I bequeath to my wife Cordelia M. Johnson and to my children, surviving me in equal proportions, share and share alike.

Third I hereby nominate and appoint my wife Cordelia M. Johnson the executrix of this my last Will and Testament.

Fourth: I hereby direct that all of the real estate of which I may die possessed be held by my said executrix in trust until my last surviving child and heir shall have arrived at the age of sixteen years, and that then the same be sold, and the proceeds of said sale be divided equally, share and share alike between my said wife Cordelia M. Johnson, and my surviving children.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26th day of March A.D. 1881.

Albert H. Johnson ^{Executrix}

The foregoing Instrument was, at the date hereof signed by the said Albert H. Johnson and sealed and published as, and declared to be his last will and testament in presence of us, who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Thomas May.
Geo H. Hardy.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Albert H. Johnson deceased }

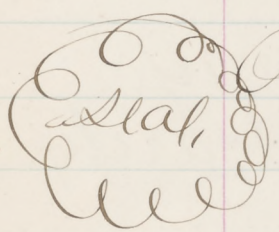
J. J. H. H. H.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo

I John A. Hannah
Superior Judge of said County, do hereby certify
that on the 31st day of March A. D. 1884 the
annexed instrument was admitted to probate
as the last will and testament of Albert S. Johnson
deceased and from the proofs taken and
the examination had therein the said Court
finds as follows:

That said Albert S. Johnson died on or about
the 20th day of February 1884 at the County of
Inyo, State of California: that at the time
of his death he was a resident of the County
of Inyo, State of California that the annexed
will was duly executed by the said decedent,
in his lifetime in the County of Inyo State of
California, and signed by the said testator
in the presence of Geo H Hardy and Thomas
May, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also
that he acknowledged of the same in their
presence, and declared the same to be his last
will and testament, and the said witnesses at-
tested the same at his request in his presence
and in the presence of each other; that the said
decedent at the time of executing said will, was
of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was
of sound ^{and disposing} mind and not under duress men-
ace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any
respect incompetent to devise and bequeath
his estate:

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this
certificate and caused the same to be attested
by the Clerk of said Court under the seal
thereof this 31st day of March 1884.



Attest Thomas Crough
Clerk.

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California
In the Matter of the estate of Albert S. Johnson
deceased:

Testimony of Subscribing Witness on Probate of Will.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

George H. Hardy of lawful age, and a competent witness, being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows:
I reside in the County of Inyo, State of California I knew Albert H. Johnson on the 26th day of March 1881 the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the Twenty seventh day of February 1884 purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said Albert H. Johnson I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument. I also knew at the said date of said instrument Thomas May the other of said subscribing witnesses: The said instrument was signed and sealed by the said Albert H. Johnson at Independence in the County of Inyo on the 26th day of March 1881, the day it bears date, in the presence of myself and of said Thomas May and the said Albert H. Johnson thereupon published the said instrument as, and declared to us the same to be, his last Will and Testament and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said Thomas May and I then and there in the presence of the said Albert H. Johnson thereupon published the said instrument as, and declared to us the same to be, his last will and testament and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said Thomas May and I then and there in the presence of the said Albert H. Johnson and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument.

At the time of executing the said instrument, to wit; the 26th. day of March 1881 the said Albert H. Johnson was over the age of eighteen years, to wit of the age of Forty two years or thereabouts and was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace fraud, undue influence or mis-

- representation.

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court,
before me, this 31st day of March 1884

Geo. H. Hardy
Clerk

Geo. H. Hardy
County Clerk

In the Matter of the Estate
of Albert H. Johnson deceased

In the Superior
Court of the County
of Inyo, State of California

State of California } ss Testimony of applicant on
County of Inyo } Probate of Will.

Gordelia M. Johnson
being duly sworn in open Court testifies
as follows:

I am the person named as the executrix in
the document now shown to me, marked as
filed in this Court on the Twenty seventh day
of February 1884, purporting to be the last
Will and Testament of Albert H. Johnson.
I reside in the County of Inyo and am of
the age of twenty-one years and upwards.
I know said Albert H. Johnson he is dead,
he died on or about the 20th. day of February
1884 at Lone Pine in the County of Inyo State
of California:

At the time of his death he was a resident
of the County of Inyo and left estate in the
County of Inyo State of California.

The real estate is of the value of \$2000.⁰⁰ or
thereabouts, and the annual rents, issues and
profits of said real estate, amount to the sum
of \$400.⁰⁰ or thereabouts.

The personal property is of the value of \$300. or
thereabouts.

The said estate and effects, for or in respect
of which the probate of said Will has been
applied for, does not exceed the value of \$2300.
All of the estate of said deceased is common
property, the same having been acquired
after his marriage.

The said document came into my possession

as follows, to wit: The said document was handed to me by George H. Hardy, one of the subscribing witnesses and I believe the same to be his last Will and Testament, the next of kin of said deceased are said Cordelia M. Johnson his widow, and John J. Johnson, Owen C. Johnson, Albert H. Johnson, and Mary S. Johnson his children, aged: respectively, twenty six, nine, eight, six and four years, all residing in the County of Inyo State of California.

On the said 26th. day of March 1881 when said Will was executed, said deceased was over the age of eighteen years, being of the age of forty-two, years or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind:

Cordelia M. Johnson
Subscribed and sworn to in open Court, before me, this 31st day of March 1884.

Thomas Crough.
County Clerk.

Recorded the 31st day of April 1884.

Thomas Crough.
Clerk.

In the name of God, Amen,

I Duncan Campbell, of the County of Inyo, State of California of the age of sixty nine years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish, and declare this my last will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say: First, I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate, Secondly, I direct that executors hereinafter named as soon as they have sufficient funds in their hands pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness. Third: I direct that my executors hereinafter named, have power to sell, lease and manage my property, real, personal, and mixed of which I may die possessed; except my farm at Big Pine, Inyo County, California, upon which I now reside, at such times and for such price as in their judgment is for the best interest of my estate, such sale or sales to be either public or private as they may deem for the best, and in all such matters to be allowed the free exercise of their judgment, and out of the moneys arising from such leasing or sale, or in any other manner arising, to pay all my just debts and out of the residue of such moneys remaining in their hands, to pay to Mrs Ellen Haylor of Big Pine, Inyo County, California, the sum of six hundred dollars, said sum to be paid after the expiration of two years from the date of the admission of this will and Testament to probate, or at such other time thereafter as said payment can be made without embarrassing the administration of my estate. Fourth: I give and bequeath to my son Duncan Campbell of Big Pine, Inyo County, California to have, hold and enjoy for and during the term of his natural life, the use of my farm at Big Pine Inyo County California together with the rents, issues, and profits thereof, and at his death provided he leaves heirs of his body surviving then said property to go to such heirs in equal shares, to be by them held and enjoyed in fee simple forever, and ^{also to} ~~all~~ such heirs all the residue of my estate, real personal or mixed to be held and enjoyed by them in the same manner forever; but should my said son Duncan Campbell die without leaving such heirs of his body surviving then I direct that all my estate, real personal and mixed including my said farm at Big Pine go and be given to the aforesaid legatee Mrs Haylor of Big Pine, Inyo County California and her children, share and share alike to have and

to hold forever in fee simple absolute. Fifth: I also direct that my executors after the payment to Mrs. Ellen Haylor of the said sum of six hundred dollars as herein before directed and after the payment of all my just debts invest the residue of said moneys in the name of my ^{executors for the use and benefit of my} said son Duncan Campbell in such security or securities as in their judgment is best, and I also direct that my executors pay to my said son during the term of his natural life all profits arising from such investments at such time or times as said profits may come into their hands. Sixth: I also wish my said son to have the exclusive control of my said farm at Big Pine and to have the power to lease the same as to him may seem best, but in no case to sell alien or encumber the same in any manner. Seventh: I also direct that my executors have such reasonable compensation for their services as may be usual and just said compensation to be allowed by the Superior Court of Inyo County California. Lastly: I hereby nominate and appoint Stephen G. Gugg, Nathan Rhine and Isaac Harris the executors of this my last Will and Testament without bonds and hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Tenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty four.

Duncan Campbell (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of 3 pages besides this, was, at the date hereof by the said Duncan Campbell, signed, and sealed, and published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

John H. Hughes, Residing at Lone Pine
Webster H. Walker, Residing at Lone Pine

In the Superior Court
of the
County of Inyo, State of California

In the matter of the Estate of)
Duncan Campbell) Order admitting Will to Probate
(Deceased) and appointing Executor

The petition of Stephen G. Gugg, Nathan Rhine & Isaac Harris heretofore filed in the above entitled matter, praying for admission to probate of a certain document filed herein,

purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Duncan Campbell deceased, and to be appointed executors thereof and that letters testamentary be granted to said petitioners, this day regularly coming on to be heard; and due proof being made that notice has been duly given of the time appointed for proving said Will and for hearing said petition, according to law, to all parties interested; and after examining said petitioners, and the subscribing witnesses to said Will, from which it appears that said document is the last Will and Testament of said Duncan Campbell deceased; that it was executed in all particulars as required by law, and that said testator, at the time of the execution of the same, was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under undue influence, menace, fraud, or duress, and that said testator died on the 12th day of April 1884; that he was a resident of the County of Inyo, in the State of California, at the time of his death; that the value of said estate is estimated at Thirteen Thousand Dollars:

It is Ordered, that the said document heretofore filed, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said Duncan Campbell deceased; be admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of said deceased; that said Stephen G. Gregg, Nathan Thorne and Isaac Harris be and are hereby appointed executors thereof, and that letters testamentary thereon issue to said petitioners upon taking the oath required by law, without bonds; bond having been expressly waived by the provisions of said Will.

Dated the 7th day of May 1884

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge

In the Superior Court
of the
County of Inyo, State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of }
Duncan Campbell }
Deceased }

Testimony of Subscribing Witnesses on
Probate of Will

State of California, }
County of Inyo } ss

Webster H. Walker being duly sworn
in open Court, testifies as follows: I reside in the County of

Says State of California; I knew Duncan Campbell on the 10th day of April 1884, the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the 14th day of April 1884 purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said decedent.

I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument. I also knew at the said date of said instrument, John R. Hughes the other of said subscribing witnesses.

The said instrument was signed by said decedent, at Lone Pine in the County of Inyo on the 10th day of April, ¹⁸⁸⁴ the day it bears date, in the presence of myself and said John R. Hughes and the said decedent thereupon published the said instrument as, and declared to us, the same to be his last Will and Testament, and requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said John R. Hughes and I then and there, in the presence of said decedent and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses to said instrument.

At the time of executing the said instrument, said decedent was over the age of eighteen years, and was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence or misrepresentation.

Subscribed and sworn to
in open Court, before
Seal one, this 7th day of May 1884 } Wilbur H. Walker
Thomas Lerough }
Clerk

In the Superior Court
of the
County of Inyo State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of }
Duncan Campbell }
Decedent }

Testimony of Applicant on
Probate of Will

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss

Nathan Rhine being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows:

I am one of the persons named as executors in the document now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the 14th day of April 1884, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of

Duncan Campbell deceased.

I reside in the County of Inyo and am of the age of Twenty one years and upwards.

I know said Duncan Campbell he is dead; he died on or about the 12th day of April 1884 at Lone Pine in the County of Inyo. State of California.

At the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo and left estate in the Counties of Inyo, Mono and Los Angeles State of California.

The real estate is of the value of Ten Thousand dollars, (\$10,000⁰⁰) or thereabouts and the annual rents, issues and profits of said real estate, amount to the sum of Five hundred dollars (\$500⁰⁰) or thereabouts.

The personal property is of the value of Three Thousand dollars (\$3,000⁰⁰) or thereabouts.

The said estate and effects, for or in respect of which the probate of said Will has been applied for, does not exceed the value of Thirteen Thousand dollars, (\$13,000⁰⁰)

The whole of the estate of said deceased is separate property. The said document came into my possession as follows, to wit: It was handed to me by Isaac Harris, one of the executors named therein and I believe the same to be his last Will and Testament.

The next of kin of said deceased are Duncan Campbell Jr. his son aged about forty five years residing at Big Pine Inyo County California.

On the tenth day of April 1884, when said Will was executed, said deceased was over the age of eighteen years being of the age of sixty-nine years or thereabouts, and was of sound and disposing mind.

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court
before me, this 7th day of May 1884 } Nathan Phine
Thomas Crough }
County Clerk

Recorded the 8th day of May 1884

Thomas Crough.
Clerk

In the name of God Amen! I, Watson Bowman of the County of Inyo State of California of the age of forty six years and being of sound and disposing mind and memory and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatsoever do make publish and declare this my last Will ^{&c} Testament in manner following that is to say:

First: I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life ^{&c} the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly: I direct that my executrix hereinafter named as soon as she has sufficient funds in her hands pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly: I give ^{&c} bequeath to my wife Nancy Diana Bowman an undivided one half of all my estate both real ^{&c} personal of every name and nature whatsoever owned by me at the time of my death.

Fourthly: I give and bequeath to my children viz: Alvah Alden Bowman, Amy Bowman Laura ^{may} Bowman ^{&c} Franklin Bowman the remaining one half of all my estate both real ^{&c} personal the same to be held in trust by my said wife for the benefit of said children until the youngest one of said children to wit: Franklin Bowman shall attain his majority. The estate hereby bequeathed to them shall thereupon be equally divided between all of said children share ^{&c} share alike.

Lastly: I hereby nominate and appoint Nancy Diana Bowman my wife the sole executrix of this my last will ^{&c} testament without bonds and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th day of March in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty Four.

Watson Bowman ^{Seal}

The foregoing instrument consisting of two

pages besides this was at the date hereof by the said Watson Bowman signed and sealed and published as and declared to be his last will & Testament in presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Enoch Enloe

Residing at Bishop Creek California

James Shaw.

Residing at Bishop Creek California

Last Will & Testament of Watson Bowman.

Filed June 13th 1884.

Thomas Crough
County Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Testimony of Subscribing
Watson Bowman } witness on Probate of Will.
Deceased }

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

Enoch Enloe being duly sworn in open Court, testifies as follows: —
I reside in the County of Inyo State of California.
I knew Watson Bowman on the 14th day of March 1884 the date of the instrument now shown to me, marked as filed in this Court on the 13th day of June 1884 purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said decedent.
I am one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument. I also knew at the said date of said instrument James Shaw the other of said subscribing witnesses.
The said instrument was signed by the said decedent at Bishop Creek in the County

of Inyo on the 14th day of March 1884, the day it bears date in the presence of myself and of said James Shaw, and the said decedent thereupon published the said instrument as, and declared to as the same to be his last Will & Testament & requested us in attestation thereof to sign the same as witnesses. The said James Shaw and I then & there, in the presence of the said decedent, and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses to the said instrument. At the time of executing the said instrument, said decedent was over the age of eighteen years, and was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, undue influence, or misrepresentation.

Subscribed and sworn to
in open court before me,
this 10th day of July 1884
Thomas Cough
Clerk. } Enoch Enloe.

In the Superior Court of the County of
Inyo State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of }
Watson Bowman } Testimony of Applicant
Deceased } on Probate of Will.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

Nancy Diana Bowman
being duly sworn in open court testifies as
follows: I saw the person named as execu-
trix in the document now shown to me, marked
as filed in this Court on the 13th day of June
1884 purporting to be the last Will & Testament
of Watson Bowman deceased. I reside
in the County of Inyo and am of the
age of thirty one years and upwards. I knew
said Watson Bowman, he is dead. He died

on or about the 11th day of May 1884, at Bishop Creek in the County of Inyo State of California. At the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo and left estate in the County of Inyo State of California.

The real estate is of the value of Three Thousand ^{Dollars} (\$3000⁰⁰) or thereabouts, and the annual rents issues and profits of said real estate amount to the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500⁰⁰), or thereabouts.

The personal property is of the value of One Thousand five hundred dollars (\$1500⁰⁰) or thereabouts. The said estate and effects for or in respect of which the probate of said will has been applied for does not exceed the value of Four Thousand Five Hundred dollars (\$4500⁰⁰) all of the estate of said deceased is community property the same having been acquired after his The said document came into my possession as follows to wit: it was handed to me by Reg. M. Hill on the same day upon which it was executed and I believe the same to be his last will and testament marriage. The next of kin of said

deceased are your petitioner Nancy Diana Bowman, his widow, and Alval Alden Bowman Amy Bowman Laura May Bowman Frank Bowman and Lena Ethel Bowman aged respectively nine seven five and three years. The said Lena Ethel Bowman being of the age of two months and having been born after the death of said Watson Bowman. Said children are the children of your petitioner and deceased, and residing with your petitioner at Bishop Creek in said County of Inyo.

On the 14th day of March 1884 when said Will was executed, said deceased was over the age of Eighteen years being of the age of Forty Six years or thereabouts and was of sound and disposing mind.

Subscribed and sworn to
in open Court before me
this 10th day of July 1884 } Nancy Diana Bowman.
Thomas Crough }
County Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of
Inyo State of California

In the matter of the Estate }
of Watson Bowman. }
Deceased }

I, John A. Hannah
Superior Judge of the County of Inyo State
of California do hereby certify, That on the
tenth day of July, 1884 the annexed instrument
was admitted to probate as the last will and
testament of Watson Bowman deceased and
from the proofs taken and the examination had
therein the said Court finds as follows: That
said Watson Bowman died on or about the
11th day of May 1884 in the County of Inyo
State of California that at the time of his
death he was a resident of said Inyo
County State aforesaid that the said annexed
will was duly executed by said decedent in
his life time in the said County of Inyo State
of California and signed by said testator
in the presence of Enoch Eulor and James
Shaw the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that
he acknowledged the execution of the same in their
presence, and declared the same to be his last
will and testament, and the said witnesses
attested the same at his request in his pres-
ence and in the presence of each other that
that the said decedent at the time of executing
said will was of the age of eighteen years
and upwards, was of sound and disposing
mind and not acting under duress, menace,
fraud undue influence or misrepresentation
nor in any respect incompetent to devise and
bequeath his estate. In witness whereof I have
signed this certificate and caused the
same to be attested by the Clerk of said
Court under the seal thereof this tenth
day of July 1884

{ Seal } attest

Thomas Cough Clerk.

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge

Recorded the 10th day of July 1884.
 Thomas Crough
 Clerk.

Will of W. A. Baker.

Whereas I, William A. Baker of the Town of Big Pine, Inyo County State of California, did make my last Will and Testament in writing bearing date the ninth 19th day of January A.D. 1885, in and by which I have given and bequeath to my Lawful Wife Fanny F. Baker one half of all my real and personal property, and the other one half to be divided equally between my several children share and share alike.

The Fanny F. Baker my beloved Wife shall have full and complete control of said property without giving Bonds.
 Witness Wm A Baker.

Thomas G. Beasley

W. H. George M. H.

{ Endorsed Will of W. A. Baker.

Filed February 4th. 1885.

W. L. Hunter County Clerk
 By Thomas Crough Deputy.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of W. A. Baker Deceased.

State of California } ss.
 County of Inyo }

I John A. Hannah
 Superior Judge of said County, do hereby certify that on the 24th day of February A.D. 1885 the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will

and testament of W. A. Baker deceased and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein the said Court finds as follows:

That said W. A. Baker died on or about the 24th. day of January 1885, in the County of Inyo State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California; that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime in the County of Inyo, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of Thomas G. Beasley and W. H. George the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said will was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound mind and disposing mind, and not under, menace, fraud, or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In witness whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court under the seal thereof this 24th. day of February 1885.

Attest

W. L. Hunter Clerk

By Thos. Crough

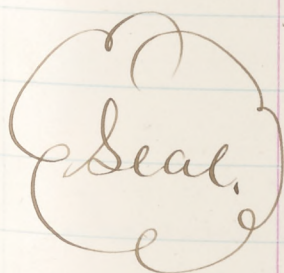
Deputy.

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge.

Recorded February 25th, 1885

W. L. Hunter

By Thos. Crough Clerk
Deputy.



Will of H. F. Uhlmeyer.
 I, Frederick Herman Uhlmeyer of the
 Town of Big Pine Inyo County,
 State of California, being aware of the
 uncertainty of life, and in failing
 health, but of Sound Mind and Memory
 do make and declare this to be my
 last will and Testament in manner
 following to wit:
 I give Devise and bequeath unto
 my Nephew, William H. Uhlmeyer, all
 my Real and personal property and
 not to sell any of the Real Estate
 or the property; If you should want
 to sell any of the Real Estate sell it
 all. And I appoint the said Wm
 Uhlmeyer Administrator without bonds
 Dated this 10th. day of March A.D. 1885. H. F. Uhlmeyer (Seal)

{ Witness }

W. B. McSwiney (Seal)

John Mullane (Seal)

{ Endorsed } Filed March 27th 1885.

W. L. Hunter County Clerk
 By Thos. Brough Deputy Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of
 Inyo State of California

In the Matter of the Estate }
 of H. F. Uhlmeyer deceased }

State of California } ss.
 County of Inyo }

I, John A. Hannah
 Superior Judge of said County, do
 hereby certify that on the 20th. day
 of April 1885, the annexed instrument
 was admitted to probate as the last
 will and testament of H. F. Uhlmeyer
 deceased, and from the proofs taken
 and the examination had therein the
 Court finds as follows: That said

H. F. Uhlemeyer died on or about the 19th. day of March A.D. 1885, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of said County and State; that the annexed instrument was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime in the County of Inyo State of California and signed by the said testator in the presence of John Mullane and U.B. McSwiney, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said will was of the age of eighteen years, and upwards, and was of sound and disposing mind and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said court under the seal thereof this 20th. day of April A.D. 1885.

Seal
Attest W. L. Hunter } John A. Hannah
Clerk } Superior Judge.
By Thos. Crough }
Deputy

[Endorsed] Superior Court, County of Inyo
In the Matter of the Estate of H. F. Uhlemeyer
deceased. Certificate of Proof of Will and
the facts Found. Filed April 20th 1885.
W. L. Hunter clerk.
By Thos. Crough Deputy.

Recorded April 20th. 1885.

W. L. Hunter clerk
By Thos. Crough
Deputy Clerk

Last Will and Testament of Edward A. Gifford.

Dated June 2nd 1885.

In the name of God, Amen. I, Edward A. Gifford, of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of fifty-two years, and being of sound and disposing mind, and not under any restraint, or the influence or representation of any person, whatever, do make, publish, and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my body be decently buried, without undue ceremony or ostentation, but with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly. I direct that my Executrix, hereinafter named, as soon as she has sufficient funds in her hands, pay ^{the} my funeral expenses of my last illness. sickness.

Thirdly. I give and bequeath to my daughters Helen G. Gardner, wife of J. M. Gardner, of Quincy, Illinois; and to Grace Gifford, a minor, residing in California, each the sum of Five Dollars.

Fourthly. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Helen M. Gifford, residing in Inyo County, State of California, all of my real estate of whatever nature and kind, except that which is hereinafter described and bequeathed to Cyrus B. Rawson; also to my said wife I bequeath all of my personal property and effects, including the Insurance on my life of Three Thousand Dollars in the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut, The Policy being No. 31646; also, my life insurance of Two Thousand dollars in the Ancient Order of United Workmen.

And in the case of the death of said Helen M. Gifford, or of her second marriage all then remaining of the above mentioned

property, shall be given to my daughter,
Grace Gifford.

Fifthly, I give and bequeath to Cyrus B. Rawson, residing in Inyo County, State of California, all my right, title and interest in and to the land I have applied for under the Desert Land Act. Said lands being situate in Inyo County, State of California, and described as follows, to wit: The South-east quarter of section No. thirty-two, the West half of the Southeast quarter of Section No. thirty-three in Township No. seven, South of Range No. thirty-three East, also, the West half of the Northeast quarter (and the Northwest quarter of Section No. four), and the Northeast quarter of Section No. five, in Township No. eight, South, of Range No. thirty-three East, Base and Meridian Mount Diablo, containing six hundred and forty acres.

Lastly, I hereby appoint my wife Helen M. Gifford, the executrix of this my last Will and Testament, without Bonds; hereby revoking all former wills made by me.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this second day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty five.

Edward A. Gifford, (Seal.)

The foregoing instrument consisting of two pages including this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Edward A. Gifford, signed and sealed and published as, and declared by him to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses hereto.

J. A. Dwyer, Residing at Inyo County, State of California
J. M. Intosh, Residing at Inyo County, State of California.
(Endorsed) Filed July 16th 1886, W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Recorded Aug. 10th 1886.

W. L. Hunter,
County Recorder.

In the Superior Court of the County
of Inyo, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate } Certificate of Proof of
of Edward A. Gifford, } Will and facts found,
Deceased.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo

I, John A. Hannah,
Superior Judge of said County, do hereby certify:
That on the Ninth day of August A. D. 1886,
the annexed Instrument was admitted to pro-
bate as the last Will and Testament of Edward
A. Gifford, deceased, and from the proofs,
taken and the examinations had therein, the
said Court finds as follows:

That Edward A. Gifford died on or about
the Third day of March A. D. 1886, in the
County of Inyo, State of California, that
at the time of his death he was a resident
of the County of Inyo, State of California
that the said annexed will was duly ex-
ecuted by the said decedent, in his life time,
in the County of Inyo, State of California,
and signed by the said testator in the
presence of J. A. Dyer, and J. M. Intosh
the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that
he acknowledged the execution of the same in
their presence, and declared the same to be his
the last Will and Testament and the said
witnesses attested the same at his request
in his presence, and in the presence of each
other; that the said decedent, at the time
of executing said will, was of the age of
eighteen years and upwards, was of sound
and disposing mind, and not under re-
straint, undue influence or fraudulent
misrepresentation, nor in any respect in-
competent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this ninth day of August A.D. 1886.

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge,

Seal

Attest, W. L. Hunter Clerk

{Endorsed} filed Aug. 9th 1886. W. L. Hunter Clerk.

Recorded Aug. 10th 1886.

W. L. Hunter,
County Recorder.

Inyo County State of California,

Know all persons to whom this may come in any way concern that I Oliver Smith of the County of Inyo and State of California and whose Post Office address is Independence of the County and State above written being of sound mind and memory and of reasonable good health but knowing the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life do therefore make ordain publish and declare this to be my last will and testament that is to say all my estate real and personal I give and bequeath to my wife Eliza Ann Smith to wit all of my right and title to the following described land namely the West half of South East quarter of section number two in Township number twelve South of Range number thirty four east containing eighty acres to have hold and dispose of according to her will and pleasure together with all of my personal property of whatever name or nature that I may at present possess of.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this seventh day of December one thousand eight

hundred and seventy eight
 Elisha Smith *and*

The above written Instrument was subscribed by
 the said Elisha Smith in our presence and
 acknowledged by him to each of us and he
 at the same time published and declared
 the above instrument so subscribed to be
 his last will and testament and we at
 the testator's request and in his presence
 here signed our names as witnesses hereto

A W H Smith, Myo Co Cal *and*
 J White Smith, Myo Co Cal *and*

Endorsed

Filed Sept 16th 1886.

W L Hunter,
 Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of
 Myo State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of
 Elisha Smith
 Decedent

State of California
 County of Myo

I John A Hannah Judge
 of the said Superior Court do hereby certify
 that on the 9th day of October 1886 the annexed
 instrument was admitted to probate as the last
 will and testament of Elisha Smith deceased and
 from the proofs taken and the examinations had
 thereon the said Court finds as follows: That
 said Elisha Smith died on or about the 27th
 day of August 1886 in the County of Myo State
 of California that at the time of his death he
 was a resident of the County of Myo State of
 California that the said annexed will was duly
 executed by the said decedent in his life time
 in the County of Myo State of California and signed
 by the said testator in the presence of

A W H Smith and J White Smith the subscribing witnesses thereto also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last will and Testament and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other that the said decedent at the time of executing said will was of the age of eighteen years and upwards was of sound and disposing mind and not under duress menace fraud or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In witness whereof I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said Court under the seal thereof this 9th day of October 1886

Attest W L Hunter
(Seal) Clerk

John A Hannah
Superior Judge

"Endorse" Superior Court County of Inyo.

In the matter of the Estate of Elisha Smith decedent
Certificate of Proof of will and the facts herein

Filed Oct 9th 1886 W L Hunter Clerk

Recorded October 9th 1886

W L Hunter
Clerk

Will

In the name of God Amen
 I Thomas G. Beasley of Big Pine and County
 of Inyo State of California of the age of
 twenty three years and being of Sound and
 disposing mind and memory and not acting
 under influence of any person whatever do
 make publish and declare this my last will
 and Testament in manner following that
 is to say First I direct that my body
 be decently buried with proper regard to my
 station and condition in life and the circum-
 stances of my estate Second I direct that
 the executor hereinafter named as soon as
 they have sufficient funds in their hands
 pay my funeral expenses and the expenses
 of my last sickness

Third I give and bequeath to John B
 Monroe and Tilly Tompkinson the wife of
 Thomas Tompkinson all my personal and
 real estate owned by me at the time of
 my death after first paying and fully
 satisfying out of said proceeds all my
 just debts

Lastly I hereby nominate and appoint John
 B. Monroe and Tilly Tompkinson of Inyo
 County the executors of this my last will
 and Testament and hereby revoke all
 former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand and seal this third day of November
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
 hundred and eighty six

Thos. G. Beasley. (seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of one
 page besides this was at the date hereof
 by the said Thomas G. Beasley signed and
 sealed and published as and declared to be
 his last will and Testament in presence
 of us who at his request and in his
 presence and in the presence of each

other have subscribed our names as witnesses
thereto

Residence Big Pine

S. G. Gregg
O. Allerton

"Ordinance"

Will of Thos G Beasley

Filed Dec 1st 1886

W L Hunter
Clerk

Recorded Dec 18th 1886

W L Hunter
County Recorder

In the Superior Court of the County of
Inyo State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of
Thos G. Beasley
Deceased

I John A Hannah
Judge of the said Superior Court do hereby
certify that on the 18th day of December 1886 the
annexed instrument was admitted to probate as
the last will and testament of Thos G Beasley
deceased and from the proofs taken and the
examinations had therein the said Court finds
as follows That said Thos G Beasley died on
or about the 21st day of November 1886 in the
County of Inyo State of California That at the
time of his death he was a resident of the
County of Inyo State of California That the said
annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent
in his lifetime in the County of Inyo State aforesaid
and signed by the said decedent in the presence
of O Allerton and S G Gregg the subscribing
witnesses thereto also that he acknowledged
the execution of the same in their presence
and declared the same to be his last will
and testament and the said witnesses attested
the same at his request in his presence and
in the presence of each other that the said
decedent at the time of executing said will

was of the age of eighteen years and upwards
was of sound and disposing mind and not
under duress menace fraud or undue influence
nor in any respect incompetent to devise and
bequeath his estate

In witness whereof I have signed this certificate
and caused the same to be attested by the
Clerk of said Court under the Seal thereof this
18th day of December 1886

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge

Attest

W. L. Hunter
Clerk

Endorsed

Will of Albert Wayland.

In the name of God, Amen;

I Albert Wayland of the County of
Inyo, State of California, of the age
of sixty nine years, and being of sound
and disposing mind and memory, and
not acting under duress, menace, fraud,
or undue influence, of any person what-
ever, do make, publish and declare this
my last will and Testament, in the man-
ner following that is to say:

First. — I direct that my body be decently
buried with proper regard to my station
and condition in life, and the circum-
stances of my estate.

Secondly — I direct that my executrix
hereinafter named, as soon as she shall
have sufficient funds in her hands
pay my funeral expenses and the expenses
of my last sickness.

Thirdly. — I give and bequeath to my
wife Nancy Wayland, her heirs and
assigns, all that certain lot piece or
parcel of land, situate, lying and be-
ing in the County of Inyo, State of

California, particularly described, as follows to wit: The Northeast quarter of section 14, Township 7 South, Range 32 East Mount Diablo Meridian, being the same occupied by me as a United States Homestead.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, To Have and To Hold the premises above described to the said Nancy Wayland, her heirs and assigns forever.

Fourthly — I give and bequeath to my said wife, the said Nancy Wayland, all my personal property, estate of whatever nature or kind whatsoever ~~whichever~~ in possession or in action of which I am now in possession, or the possession of which I am or may be entitled

Fifthly — I hereby nominate and appoint my said wife, the said Nancy Wayland the sole executrix of this, my last will and testament, and I hereby request and direct that no bonds be required of the said Nancy Wayland, the said executrix, for the faithful performance of her duty as such executrix, and that she the said Nancy Wayland manage and dispose of the estate hereby bequeathed without any interference or hindrance whatever, except as expressly provided by law.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this seventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six.

Albert Wayland (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of two pages, besides this, was at the date thereof by the said Albert Wayland, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be his last will and testament, in presence of us who at his request and in his presence

and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

G. M. Summers
Bishop Creek, Cal.
H. H. Howell, M. D.
Bishop Creek, Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California.

In the Matter of the } Certificate of Proof
Estate of } of Will,
Albert Wayland
Deceased }

I, John A. Hannah,
Judge of the Superior Court, of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify: -

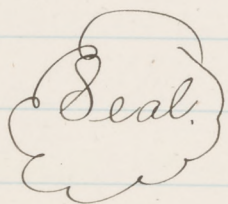
That on the 26th day of February A.D. 1887, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Albert Wayland deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein: and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That Albert Wayland died on the 18th day of January A.D. 1887, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of G. M. Summers and H. H. Howell M. D., the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said Witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of

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eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respects incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate:

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the seal thereof this 26th day of February, A.D. 1887.



John A. Hannah,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest. P. H. Mack, Clerk

{Endorsed} Filed Feb'y 26th 1887.

P. H. Mack, Clerk.

Recorded Feb'y 26th 1887.

P. H. Mack, County Recorder
By R. L. Peeler Deputy.

Last Will and Testament of Walter O. Malley.

I, Walter O. Malley of the Town of Darwin, County of Inyo, State of California, being aware of the uncertainty of life, and in failing health but of sound mind and memory, do make and declare this to be my last will and testament in manner following, to wit:

First, I give, devise and bequeath unto John Barnes, 1500 linear feet of mining ground, known as the "Butte Mine" owned by myself, situated about three and one-half miles north of Darwin and joining the "Lucky Jim" mine, on the north, and recorded in my name in the Recorder's mining office in the town of Darwin, Coso mining district, and all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging, to have and to hold unto John Barnes, his heirs and

and assigns forever.

And lastly, I nominate and appoint as executor of this my last will and testament John Barnes.

In Witness Whereof, I Walter O'Malley to this my last will and testament, have hereunto set my hand and seal this first day of February Eighteen hundred and eighty-six.

Signed, Sealed and De-
clared by Walter O'Malley
as and for his last will
and testament in the pres-
ence of us, who at his re-
quest and in his presence
and in the presence of each
other, have subscribed our
names hereunto as witnesses
thereof.

Walter O'Malley Seal.

Jno. Grover
Sig. Corps. U. S. Army.
Keeler, Cal.
John Friedman
Keeler Cal.

(Endorsed) Filed April 14 1887
O. H. Mack Clerk.

In The Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California

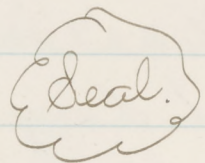
In the Matter of the estate of Walter O'Malley } Certificate of Proof of Will
of Walter O'Malley } and facts found.

State of California } ss
County of Inyo

I, John A. Hannah,
Judge of The ^{said} Superior Court do hereby certify
That on the 3rd day of May, 1887, the an-
nexed Instrument was admitted to Probate
as the last Will and Testament of Walter
O'Malley deceased, and from the proofs taken
and the examinations had therein, the said

Court finds as follows: That said Walter O. Mally died on or about the 8th day of March, 1887, in the County of Inyo, State of California, that at the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California, that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime in the said County of Inyo, aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of John Friedman, and John Grover, the subscribing witnesses thereto: also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence; and declared the same to be his Last Will and Testament and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other: that the said decedent at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of Eighty years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 3rd day of May, 1887.



Attest:

John A. Hannah ^{Superior} Judge
P. H. Mack Clerk

Endorsed, Filed May 3, 1887, P. H. Mack, Clerk

Recorded this 3rd day of May 1887

P. H. Mack Clerk
By R. L. Peeler Deputy Clerk

In the name of God, Amen I John R Hughes of the County of Inyo State of California of the age of sixty two years and being of sound and disposing mind and memory and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner following, that is to say: First, I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate. Second, I direct that my executors herein after named as soon as they have sufficient funds in their hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness. Third: After the payment of all my just debts, I give and devise all the rest residue and remainder of my estate both real and personal, of every name and nature whatsoever owned by me at the time of my death to my present wife Margaret Hughes and my three daughters, Nellie Janna, Kate, and Ida, to be divided equally between them share and share alike. Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint W. L. Hunter, and John W. P. Laird of the County of Inyo State of California the executors of this my last Will and Testament, and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Eleventh day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six

John R Hughes

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this, was at the date hereof by the said John R Hughes signed and sealed and published as and declared to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

L. Wood

Residing at Independence Inyo Co.

Geo. H. Hardy

Residing at Independence Inyo Co.

Whereas I John R Hughes of Lone Pine Inyo County State of California, did on the eleventh day of October 1886 make my last Will and Testament of that date, do hereby declare this to be a codicil to the same ~ ~ ~ ~ ~

1st I hereby ratify and confirm said Will in every respect, save so far as any part of it is inconsistent with this codicil ~ ~ ~ ~ ~

2nd Whereas I have since the date and execution of my said Will purchased all that parcel of land situate lying and being in the town of Lone Pine County of Inyo State of California and described as follows Lying on the corner of Main and Willow Streets in said town of Lone Pine, and having a frontage on said Main Street of twenty five feet, and extending back therefrom along said Willow Street and preserving a uniform width of twenty five feet, a distance of one hundred feet, to an alley ~ Said land lying on the East side of said Main Street It being the same piece of land conveyed by deed to me from Mrs Anna Stewart ~ ~ ~ ~ ~

3rd Now I do hereby give and devise the said above described parcel or so much thereof as I may die possessed, together with all the improvements now on the same or which I may hereafter place or cause to be placed thereon to Margaret Hughes, my present wife, and to her heirs and assigns absolutely and forever. ~ ~ ~ ~ ~

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this seventeenth day of August 1887

John R Hughes (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said John R Hughes, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

D. H. Williams

Residing at Lone Pine Inyo Co. Cal

Paul J. Howard

Residing at Lone Pine, Inyo Co Cal

(Endorsed) Filed Nov. 2nd 1887

P. N. Mack Clerk

In the Superior Court of the
County of Inyo State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will
John R. Hughes } and the Facts Found,
Deceased }

I, John A. Hannah
Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:
That on the 5th day of Jan, 1888, the annexed
Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last
Will and Testament of John R. Hughes deceased,
and from the proofs taken and the examinations
had therein, the said Court finds as follows:
That said John R. Hughes died on or about
the 17th day of Sept, 1887, in the said County of
Inyo State of California that at the time of
his death he was a resident of the said County
of Inyo State of California that the said an-
nexed Will and Codicil thereto was duly ex-
ecuted by the said decedent, in his lifetime,
in the said County of Inyo aforesaid, State
of California, and signed by the said testator
in the presence of Geo. H. Hardy and L. Wood
and the said Codicil in presence of D. H. Williams
and Paul J. Howard the subscribing witnesses
thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution
of the same in their presence, and declared the
same to be his last Will and Testament, and
the said witnesses attested the same at his request
in his presence and in the presence of each
other; that the said decedent, at the time
of executing said Will, was of the age of 60
years and upwards, was of sound and dis-
posing mind, and not under duress, men-
ace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any
respect incompetent to devise and bequeath
his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate,
and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk
of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 5th day
of January 1888

(Seal)

John A. Hannah
Superior Judge

Attest:

P. N. Mack Clerk

(Endorsed)

Filed Jan'y 5th 1888 P. N. Mack Clerk

Recorded Jan'y 5th 1888

P. N. Mack Clerk

I, B. S. Glover of the town of Bishop Creek, in the County of Inyo and State of California declare this to be my last will and testament.

My will is that all my just debts shall, by my executors hereinafter named, be paid.

1st I give and bequeath to John Barlow all my household furniture and farming utensils and one half of all moneys that I may have at my death.

2nd I give and bequeath to John Barlow to hold in trust, for Algermen Barlow son of the said John Barlow, until the said Algermen Barlow becomes of legal age, the other one half of all of said moneys that I may have at my death.

And I hereby appoint W. O. Meroney as executor (without bonds) to see that this my last will and testament be executed.

Witnesses

B. S. Glover

W. R. Tibbitts

R. D. Fulwiler

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will
of } and the Facts Found.
B. S. Glover, deceased }

State of California, } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, John A. Hannock, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on the 6th day of March, 1888, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of B. S. Glover, deceased, and

from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said B. S. Glover died on or about the 17th day of January 1888, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California; that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of W. R. Tibbitts and R. D. Fulwiler, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In witness whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 6th day of March 1888.

John A. Hannah
Judge of the Superior Court

Attest:
E. B. P. Mack
Clerk.

Recorded March 6th 1888.

P. T. Mack
Clerk.

✓ I, Charles B. White, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make^{and} publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills heretofore by me at any time made.

First, I will and direct that my executors and trustees hereinafter named, shall, out of my estate pay all my debts and funeral expenses.

Second, I will and direct that my executors and trustees shall pay, or cause to be paid, to my wife all the income arising from all my property, real, personal and mixed, for and during her life, the said income to be used by her in supporting herself and our children.

Third, I devise and bequeath to and unto Francis V. White, Robert T. B. Easton and Timothy Davenport as Trustees, all the property, real, personal and mixed that I may die possessed of or be entitled to, either at law or in equity, in and upon the following trusts, to wit.

1. That they, my said trustees, shall faithfully and carefully guard my estate against loss or diminution in value as far as it may lie in their power to do so, and shall collect all monies or debts that may be due to me at the time of my death and invest the same in the most reliable securities.

2. That after the payment of all necessary expenses in the performance of these trusts, my said trustees shall pay over unto my wife the income from all my property as directed in "Paragraph Second" of this will. The said payments to be made at least once in every three months, or at such times as my wife may request. And I will and direct that my said trustees shall continue to pay such income to my wife during her life, but they shall have no voice in the dispositions she may make of the same.

3. That after the death of my said wife and after the youngest child shall have reached twenty one years of age, I will and direct my said trustees, or the survivor of them, to convey to my children who may at that time be living,

and the heirs of such as may be dead, all of my real estate, the same to be equally divided between all of my children if living, and in the event of the death of any of them leaving children, then such children shall have the share their parent would have if living.

H. That upon the youngest of my children reaching twenty one years of age and upon the death of my wife I direct that my said Trustees shall distribute all of my personal property among my children then living according to the laws of Connecticut in force at the time of the date hereof in regard to intestate property.

5. I hereby empower my said Trustees to sell and convey all or any portion of my real estate situated in the State of California, when in their judgment and discretion a sale of the same may be advantageous to my estate, but before such sale and conveyance they shall have the written consent of my wife to the same, if she be living at the time.

6. That my trustees shall keep all my personal property invested in the best and most reliable securities during the performance of these trusts.

7. I hereby request my wife to turn over to my trustees and executors all sums that may be paid to her on account of any insurance on my life now in existence or that may hereafter be; the same upon coming into the hands of my said Trustees shall out of this portion of my personal property pay over unto my wife, if she be living, or in event of her death, to their guardian, such sums of money as may be necessary for the proper education of my children.

8. I further direct and desire my said Trustees, that, when in the exercise of their sound judgment, they are of opinion that the interests of any of my children or of my wife require that a portion of the principal

of my estate shall be devoted to their use, they shall so use and expend such portions of the principal of my estate as they deem necessary for such object.

I. I hereby appoint and constitute Francis V. White, Robert J. B. Easton and Timothy Davenport to be my trustees and executors of this my last will and testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other as my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 28th day of May, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eighty one.

Charles B. White (L.S.)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Charles B. White, the above named testator, as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto,

Charles W. Dayton (L.S.) Mrs Phebe Tower (L.S.)
William B. Gilbert (L.S.)

State of Connecticut } ss.
County of Fairfield }

I, William B. Gilbert being duly sworn, depose and say that Charles B. White the within named testator subscribed and sealed the within instrument, and published and declared the same to be his last will and testament in my presence and in the presence and hearing of Charles W. Dayton and Phebe Tower, the other attesting witnesses thereto, that at the request of said Charles B. White, the said Charles W. Dayton, Phebe Tower and myself all subscribed the said instrument as witnesses in the presence of Charles B. White and of each other; and that the said Charles B. White was, as we

verily believe, when said instrument
was so executed and attested of sound dis-
posing mind and memory
Subscribed & sworn to at } William B. Gilbert
Wilton in said County
This 13th day of August
A.D. 1881 before me
Henry E. Chester
Justice of the Peace }

State of Connecticut } ss.
County of Fairfield }

I, Charles W. Dayton, being
duly sworn, depose and say that Charles B.
White, the within named testator, subscribed
and sealed the within instrument and pub-
lished and declared the same to be his last
will and testament, in my presence and
in the presence and hearing of William B.
Gilbert and Phoebe Hower, the other attesting
witnesses thereto; that at the request of said
Charles B. White, the said William B. Gilbert
Phoebe Hower and myself all subscribed
the said instrument as witnesses in pres-
ence of said Charles B. White and of each
other; and that the said Charles B. White
was as we verily believe, when said in-
strument so executed and attested, of sound
disposing mind and memory
Subscribed & sworn to at } Charles W. Dayton.
Wilton in said County
This 13th day of August A.D.
1881 before me Henry
E. Chester
Justice of the Peace }

State of Connecticut } ss.
County of Fairfield }

I, Phoebe Hower being duly
sworn depose and say that Charles B. White
the within named testator subscribed and
sealed the within instrument and published
and declared the same to be his last will

and Testament in my presence and in the presence and hearing of Charles W. Dayton and William B. Gilbert, the other attesting witnesses thereto; that at the request of said Charles B. White, the said Charles W. Dayton, William B. Gilbert and myself all subscribed the said instrument as witnesses in presence of said Charles B. White and of each other; and that the said Charles B. White was, as we verily believe, when said instrument was so executed and attested, of sound, disposing mind and memory.

Subscribed and sworn to at
Wilton in said County this
13th day of August A.D. 1881
before me

Phile Hower

Henry E. Chester
Justice of the Peace

At a Court of Probate holden at Norwalk within and for the District of Norwalk on the 8th day of July A.D. 1882.

The last will of Charles B. White, late of Wilton in said District, deceased, was this day exhibited to this Court for admission to probate by Robert J. B. Easton, one of the executors therein named and this Court finds said will duly proved and that said Charles B. White died within the last ten years, and this Court accepts and approves said will and orders that it be recorded and kept on file.

Asa B. Woodward

Judge.

At a Court of Probate holden at Norwalk within and for the District of Norwalk on the 8th day of July A.D. 1882.

Estate of Charles B. White late of Wilton in said District, deceased.

Francis V. White, Robert J. B. Easton and Timothy Davenport, named and appointed in the last will of said deceased the executors thereof, appeared in said Court and renounced and refused to accept

said trust.

Asa B. Woodward Judge

At a Court of Probate holden at Norwalk, within and for the District of Norwalk, on the 8th day of July A. D. 1882.

Estate of Charles B. White late of Wilton in said District, deceased

Whereas Charles B. White died at Wilton in said District within the last seven years, having while he lived and at the time of his death goods, chattels, credits, and estate whereof the administration appertains to this Court, and whereas the last will of said deceased has been admitted to probate in and by this Court, and the executors named and appointed in and by said will have renounced and refused to accept said trust;

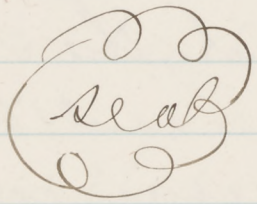
This Court doth therefore appoint Mary A. White of said Wilton, widow of said deceased, administratrix with said will annexed of all and singular the goods, chattels, credits and estate of said deceased, and the said Mary A. White appeared in Court, accepted said trust and gave satisfactory bond in the sum of 20,000 dollars, with Catharine Sturges and Robert F. B. Easton as Sureties for the faithful discharge of her said trust according to law.

Asa B. Woodward Judge

State of Connecticut } ss
District of Norwalk }

I, Alfred E. Austin, Clerk of the Court of Probate for said District of Norwalk hereby certify that the foregoing and annexed are true copies from the files and records of said Court of the last will and testament of Charles B. White, late of Wilton in said District, deceased, of the attestation and proofs of said will, of the order of said Court admitting to probate

and approving said will, of the record of the renunciation by the executors named in said will and of the appointment of an administrator with said will annexed of the Estate of said deceased, with which files and records said copies have been duly compared.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court at Norwalk in said District this 19th day of May A. D. 1886,
 Alfred E. Austin
 Clerk

Recorded at request of A. R. Cuklin April 9th
 A. D. 1889 at 3 o'clock, past 8 o'clock A. M.
 J. N. Mack
 County Recorder

In the name of God, Amen.
 I, Joel Huff Smith of Bishop Creek County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of sixty three years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make public and declare this my last will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First, I hereby give and bequeath my farm, { known as the Joel Smith Homestead and more particularly described as follows, to wit: the fractional North East quarter of Section one in Township seven South of Range thirty two East N. D. M. containing one hundred & sixty ⁴⁰ and ¹⁰⁰ acres } to my beloved children and their descendants in a direct line, and the right to sell or mortgage the whole or any part thereof, is hereby positively forbidden.

Secondly, I hereby appoint my son Horace M. Smith as Trustee to see that my last wishes executed, for and during his life, to live on and control said Homestead so that

it will be a home at any and all times for my children and their descendants, and he has the right + privilege to rent or lease the whole or any part thereof whenever he believes it to be for the best interest of the home and the heirs for him to do so.

And should the wife of the said Horace M. Smith survive her husband, the Homestead shall be a home to her and her children, if any, so long as she remains a widow and in case of her second marriage the other heirs may pay her such a sum as would in their judgment equal her share should a sum equal to the value of the Homestead be divided equally among the then living heirs to my estate.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint my son Horace M. Smith the executor of this my last Will and Testament and thereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 5th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight

Joel H. Smith (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this, was, at the date thereof, by the said Joel H. Smith signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last will and testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto,

A. H. Briggs

Residing at Bishop Creek

Chas. A. Levy

Residing at Bishop Creek

{Endorsed}

The last will and testament of Joel H. Smith
Dated June 5th 1888

Filed May 1-1889, J. H. Mack, Clerk

In the Superior Court of the
County of Inyo, State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will and
Joel H. Smith } The Facts Found.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, John A. Hannah Judge
of the said Superior Court, do hereby Certify;
That on the 21st day of May 1889, the annexed
Instrument was admitted to Probate as the Last
Will and Testament of Joel H. Smith deceased,
and from the proofs taken and the ex-
aminations had thereon, the said Court
finds as follows:

That said Joel H. Smith died on or about
the 25th day of July 1888, in the County of Inyo
State of California that at the time of his death
he was a resident of the County of Inyo State of
California that the said annexed Will was
duly executed by the said decedent, in his
lifetime, in the County of Inyo aforesaid,
State of California, and signed by the said
testator in the presence of C. H. Briggs and
Chas. A. Levy the subscribing witnesses thereto;
also that he acknowledged the execution of
the same in their presence, and declared the
same to be his last will and testament, and
the said witnesses attested the same at his
request in his presence and in the pres-
ence of each other, that the said decedent
at the time of executing said Will, was
of the age of 64 years and upwards, was
of sound and disposing mind, and not
under duress, menace, fraud or undue
influence, nor in any respect incom-
petent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and
caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said
Court, under the seal hereof, this 21st day of May 1889.

at test: John A. Hannah Judge,
P. H. Mack Clerk

Recorded May 21 1889,

J. H. Mack

County Recorder.

Inyo County, California

I do give, and bequeath, to my Grand Son, Willie G. Morton
all of my estate, Real and personal, which may be, in my
possession at my decease

Given under my ~~own~~ hand, this fourteenth day of April
one thousand eight hundred and eighty seven

Eliza Ann Smith

I appoint

William S. Morton Executor

without bonds

{Endorsed}

Filed Mch 19 1890

J. H. Mack

clerk

By H. C. Whipple

Deputy clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of Eliza Ann Smith deceased } Certificate of Proof of Will and
the facts found

State of California

County of Inyo } ss.

I John A. Hannah Judge of the
said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

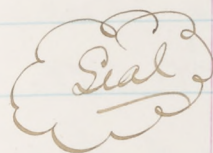
That on the 5 day of May 1890 the annexed Instrument
was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of
Eliza Ann Smith deceased, and from the proofs taken and
the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as
follows:

That the said Eliza Ann Smith died on or about
the 22 day of January 1890 in the County of Inyo
State of California, that at the time of her death she
was a resident of the County of Inyo State of California
that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said
Decedent in her lifetime, in the County of Inyo aforesaid
State of California, and signed by the said testatrix that said
Will was entirely written and signed by the said testatrix at
the time of execution

that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of 72 years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, Menace, Fraud or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her estate

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 5 day of May 1890.

John A. Hannah Judge



Attest

P. H. Mack Clerk

By H. C. Whipple

Deputy Clerk

Recorded this 5th day of May 1890

P. H. Mack

County Recorder

By H. C. Whipple

Deputy

Big Pine

Jan. 5 1891

County of Inyo State of California.

I hereby being of sound mind and good memory. Do here declare this to be my last will and Testament to wit as follows: That I will To Richard Hessian Esq. all my property One hundred and sixty acres of Land all cattle one Horse and wagon and he takes and pays all of my debts, Dollar for Dollar, in U.S. Coins and the balance. H. keeps for his own use and to handle the same without Bonds,

John Mullane

Witness A.K. Engley

Witness C.L. Meyers

Endorsed; Will of John Mullane
Filed Jan. 22nd 1891.

J. M. Handell

In The Superior Court of The County of
Inyo State of California.

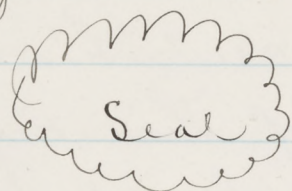
In The Matter of the
Estate of
John Mullane
Deceased

Certificate of
Proof of Will
(and)
Facts found.

State of California }
County of Inyo } es.

I Geo. M. Gill Judge
of the said Superior Court do hereby Certify
that on the 9th day of February, 1891, the annexed
instrument was admitted to probate as the Last
Will and Testament of John Mullane deceased
and from the proofs taken and the examinations
had therein, the Court finds as follows: That
said John Mullane died on or about the 10th
day of January 1891. in the County of Inyo State
of California; That at the time of his death he

was a resident of the County of Inyo aforesaid state of California; that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and signed by the said Testator in the presence of A.K. Engley and C.F. Meyers, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time, ~~at~~ of executing said will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate. In Witness whereof I have hereunto signed my name to this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the Seal thereof, this ninth day of February 1891.

 Seal

Geo. M. Osice

Judge of said Superior Court

J. W. Gaudell
Clerk.

Recorded August 27th 1891

J. W. Gaudell
Recorder,

I Ezra M Goodale of the County of Inyo State of California, being of sound mind and memory and conscious of the uncertainty of life do make publish, and declare this to be my last will and Testament,

1st I give and bequeath all my personal property to Helen G. Goodale and Florence A. Goodale, daughters of my brother Thomas, to be divided equally between them and in case that either of them should die before myself then the other to take the whole.

2nd I give and bequeath all my real estate to the four sons of my brother Thomas - viz Volney P. Goodale Augustus G. Goodale Garfield Goodale and Grant Goodale, the said real estate to be divided among them share and share alike.

3rd In case any of the above mentioned sons should die before myself then the said real estate to be divided equally among the survivors.

4th I make constitute and appoint Thomas J. Goodale and his wife Maggie P. Goodale Executors of this my last will and testament, without bonds with the rights in either to act in case of the death or disability of the other.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28th day of January 1891.

Ezra M. Goodale

Witnesses { Alexander Clark
 { J. W. Handell

Endorsed > Filed February 6th 1891

J. W. Handell
Clerk

Recorded Aug. 28th 1891 -

J. W. Handell
Recorder,

In the Superior Court of the County of
Inyo State of California

In the Matter of the
Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will
Ezra M. Goodale } and the Facts Found,

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss

I Geo. M. Gill of the said
Superior Court do hereby certify: That on the 14th
day of March 1891, the annexed Instrument was
admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testa-
ment of Ezra M. Goodale deceased, and from the
proofs taken and the examinations had therein
the said Court finds as follows: That said
Ezra M. Goodale died on or about the 4th day of
February 1891 in the County of Inyo State of
California that at the time of his death was
a resident of the County of Inyo State of Cali-
fornia that the said annexed Will was duly
executed by the said decedent in his lifetime
in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of Cal-
ifornia, and signed by the said testator in
the presence of Alexander Clark and
J. W. Handell the subscribing witnesses
thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution
of the same in their presence and declared the
same to be his last Will and Testament and
the said witnesses attested the same at his re-
quest in his presence and in the presence of
each other, that the said decedent at the time
of executing said Will was of the age of 62
years and upwards, was of sound and dispos-
ing mind and not under duress, menace fraud
or undue influence nor in any respect incompe-
tent to devise and bequeath his estate. In
Witness Whereof I have signed this Certificate and
caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of
said Court under the seal thereof this 14th
day of March 1891.

Seal

Attest

Geo. M. Gill Judge
J. W. Handell Clerk

Will of Thomas Parker

Dated March 22nd 1889

In the name of God Amen, I Thomas Parker of the Town of Independence, in the County of Inyo, State of California of the age eighty one years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and in good bodily health, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner following, that is to say: First. I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and Condition in life, and the Circumstances of my estate.

Second. I direct that my Executors hereinafter named, as soon as they have sufficient funds in their hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

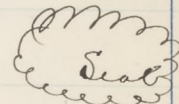
Thirdly. I give and bequeath to John Shepherd and Stephen G. Gregg of the County of Inyo State of California, all of that Certain real property situate, lying and being in the Town of Independence, County of Inyo State of California, and known and designated upon the plat of said town as Lots Nos. Six (6) eight (8) and ten (10) in Block No. nine (9) as well as all other real property of which I may die possessed, together with all personal property of whatsoever kind or nature owned by me at the time of my demise in trust for and for the use and benefit and for the purpose hereinafter designated, that is to say, I direct that the aforesaid Trustees shall hold said property for the use and benefit for Elma Yaney Parker and Thomas Wames Parker Children of my son James Edwin Parker, and I direct that my said Trustees manage and Control and rent said property for and during and until such time as the youngest of said Children shall become of the age of twenty one years, and that the proceeds of

said rent shall be applied to the support of and education of said minor Children, and upon said minor Children arriving at the age of Twenty-one years that my said Trustees and Executors shall then sell said real property and that the proceeds thereof be equally divided by said Trustees between the said Elma Yancy Parker and Thomas Warnes Parker, Shore and Shore equally therein, and for their sole use and benefit, the same being subject only to the bequest hereinafter made, Fourthly, I direct that my said Trustees and Executors sell and dispose of any and all of my personal property, if the necessity of the case require it, to defray any expenses of probating this will, or any other expenses accruing to carry out the provisions of this Will.

Fifthly, I give and bequeath to my son James Edwin Parker the sum of Five Dollars, to be paid to him by my said Trustees and Executors at the time when it is hereinbefore provided that the real property owned by me shall be sold and the proceeds paid to my other legatees.

Sixthly, I desire that my Trustees and Executors shall pay out of said property any just debts which I may be owing at the time of my decease.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint John Shepherd and Stephen G. Gregg of said County and State, the Executors of this my Last Will and Testament without bonds, and hereby revoke all former wills by me made. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty second day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine

Thomas Parker 

The foregoing instrument, Consisting of two pages, including this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Thomas Parker, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament in presence of us, who, at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed

our names as witnesses thereto,

A. W. Eibeshutz

Residing at Independence Inyo County Cal.

P. H. Mack

Residing at Independence Inyo County Cal.

(Endorsed) Will of Thomas Parker

Dated March 22, 1889.

Filed March 19th 1891.

J. W. Vandell
Clerk

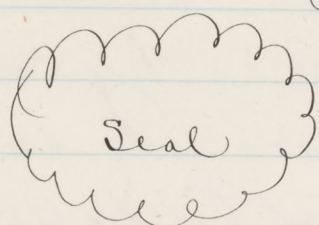
In the Superior Court of the County
of Inyo State of California. Probate

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Parker Deceased	}	Certificate of Proof of Will.
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I Geo. M. Gill Judge
of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
do hereby certify:- That on the 4th day of April A.D.
1891 the annexed instrument was admitted to
probate as the last Will and Testament of
Thomas Parker deceased: That the testimony taken
on the probate of said Will has been reduced
to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively
and filed herein; and from the proofs taken
and the examinations had therein the said
Court finds as follows: That Thomas Parker
died on the 13th day of March A.D. 1891. in the
County of Inyo State of California, and at the
time of his death was a resident of said
County, That the said annexed Will was du-
ly executed by the said decedent in his life
time in the County of Inyo State of Cali-
fornia in the presence of A. W. Eibeshutz and
P. H. Mack the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also
That he acknowledged the execution of the
same in their presence, and declared the same
to be his last Will and Testament and the said
witnesses attested the same at his request in
his presence, and in the presence of each

other That the said decedent at the time of the cutting said Will aforesaid was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and Caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof this 4th day of April A.D., 1891.



Geo. M. Sill
Judge of the Superior Court

Attest:

J. W. Fandell
Clerk

Recorded August 28th A.D., 1891,

J. W. Fandell
Recorder,

The Last Will and Testament of
John Allen Hannah
Dated Oct., 15th 1890.

In The Name of God, Amen.

I John Allen Hannah of Independence County of Inyo State of California, of the age of 71 years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say: - First, It is my wish and desire that after my death that all my property, both real and personal, be advertised and sold to the highest bidder or bidders for cash and the proceeds thereof be divided equally share and share alike between my sisters

Margaret E Woolley, Mrs Seliah Jane
Roohey Martha Gustus Brockman, One fifth
to Children of Benjamin & Hannah And one
fifth to the Children of my deceased
brother James M. Hannah.

Lastly: I hereby nominate and appoint
William L Hunter of Georges Creek Inyo
County California the Executor of this my
last Will and Testament In the event of the
death or inability of the said William L
Hunter to act as such executor I appoint
J. J. Moore of Inyo Co. Cal. as executor and
thereby revoke all former wills by me made.
In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this 15th day of October in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and ninety.

John Allen Hannah Seal

The foregoing instrument consisting of 1 page
besides this was at the date thereof, by the
said John Allen Hannah signed sealed
and published as, and declared to be his
last Will and Testament in presence of us
who at his request, and in his presence
and in the presence of each other have
subscribed our names as witnesses thereto,
P. H. Mack

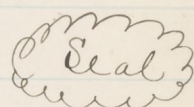
Residing at Independence Inyo Co. Cal,
Alexander Clark

Residing at Independence Inyo Co. Cal,

Codicil

Whereas I John A Hannah, who executed the
foregoing Will dated October 15th 1890 in the
presence of P. H. Mack and Alexander Clark add
the following as a Codicil thereto The former is
hereby confirmed in all respects, and shall be
interpreted as meaning that the proceeds of
my estate shall be divided into five equal

shares and go to the parties therein named, except that the share of one fifth devised to Mrs. Deliah Jane Rooney now Deliah Jane Moss shall go to her Children by her former husband Stephen Rooney, and that the one fifth share to the Children of Benjamin Hannah go to Amanda wife of Benjamin C. Hannah in trust for the Children heretofore named, and in case of the death of any of the parties named as legatees the one fifth share devised to them shall go to their heir or heirs.

John A. Hannah 

Witness my hand and seal
this 16th day of August 1891.

The foregoing consisting of one (1) page besides this was at the date thereof by the said John A. Hannah signed sealed published as and declared to be a Codicil to his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

J. J. Moore

John A. Lauck

Both of Independence Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California, Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of
John Allen Hannah } Proof of Will
Deceased }

I Geo. M. Gill

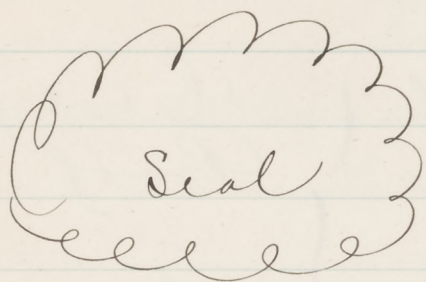
Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Inyo, do hereby Certify: - That on the 17th day of Nov. A.D. 1891. the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of John Allen Hannah deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken and the examination had therein the said Court finds as follows: - That John Allen Hannah

died on the 21st day of August A.D. 1891, in the said County of Inyo, State of California and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime in the said County of Inyo, State of California in the presence of P. H. Muck and Alexander Clark and the said Codicil was executed at the same place in the presence of John A. Lank and J. J. Morre, the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent at the time of executing the said Will as aforesaid was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate. In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the seal thereof. This 17th day of Nov. A.D. 1891.

Geo. M. Gill

Judge of the Superior Court
Attest.

J. W. Fandell
Clerk



Endorsed, Will of John A. Hearnah
Filed Sept. 18th 1891.

J. W. Fandell Clerk

Recorded at the request of P. W. Forbes Nov. 20th
A.D. 1891.

J. W. Fandell
County Recorder, Clerk

In the name of God Amen

I Henry James Evans of Round Valley
Inyo County State of California of the age of sixty
years being of sound and disposing mind and
memory and not acting under duress menace
fraud or undue influence of any person whatever
do make publish and declare this my last Will
and Testament in manner following that is to say.

First

I direct all my first debts funeral expenses
and expenses of last sickness to be paid.

Second

I give and bequeath to my daughter Maria wife
of Charles L. Olds Three Hundred Dollars as her
share of my estate.

Third

Whatever interest I may die possessed of
in the Race track property in the town of
Bishop Inyo County I give and bequeath to my
son Franklin Evans.

Fourth

The Property Real and Personal acquired by
me is due to the joint efforts of myself and my
wife Ellinor Evans and is Community property
and having full confidence in my wife Ellinor
Evans as a wife and mother and that she will do
and perform a mothers part towards our children
our daughter Maria having her full share, I give
bequeath and devise to my wife Ellinor Evans all
my property real personal and mixed.

Fifth

I desire my wife Ellinor Evans to pay my just debts
and funeral expenses and Three Hundred Dollars
to our daughter Maria and to transfer the interest
in the Race Track to our son Franklin Evans.

Sixth

I hereby appoint Ellinor Evans my wife guardian
guardian of our minor children.

Seventh

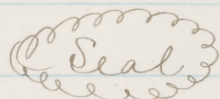
I hereby nominate and appoint Ellinor Evans the
executrix (of Round Valley Inyo County) of this my
last will and Testament, to serve without bonds,
or giving any security whatever, and it is my desire

after proof of will, that my said wife Ellinor Evans enter into and be possessed of all and every thing real and personal that she may sell and dispose of the property as she may deem fit without any order of Court.

Eighth

I hereby revoke all wills by me heretofore made, In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and seal this tenth day of July 1891.

Henry J. Evans



The foregoing instrument consisting of two pages besides this was at the date hereof by the said Henry J. Evans signed sealed and delivered published and declared to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witness thereto,

J. H. Bulpitt
Residing at Bishop Cal.

J. E. Dunlap
Residing at Bishop

Endorsed, Will,

Filed Jan. 16th 1892

J. W. Mandell
Clerk

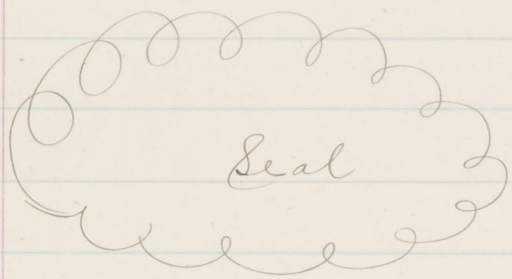
In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry J. Evans	} Certificate of Proof of Will and the Facts Found.
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State of California
County of Inyo } ss.

I George M. Gill Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby Certify: That on the Twelfth day of April 1892 the annexed instrument

was admitted to probate as the last will and Testament of Henry J. Evans deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows: That said Henry J. Evans died on or about the 19th day of December 1892 in the County of Inyo State of California, that at the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo State of California, that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime in the said County of Inyo afore said State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of J. H. Bulpitt and J. E. Dunlap the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of 60 years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate, In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 12th day of April 1892.



Geo. M. Gill

Judge.

J. W. Handell

Clerk

Recorded at request of Seth G. Sweden April 15-1892

J. W. Handell
Co. Recorder

In The Name of God Amen,

I Alexander Spencer, a resident of Columbus
Esmeralda County State of Nevada, age Sixty years,
being of sound and disposing mind and memory in
good health, considering the uncertainty of life and
the certainty of death, do hereby make publish and
declare this my Last Will and Testament, in the
manner following that is to say.

First

I give devise and bequeath to my son John J. Spencer
the sum of Five (5) Dollars.

Second

I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter Gertrude
Nixon, wife of Robert Nixon of Yreka Siskiyou
County State of California, the sum of Five hundred
(500) Dollars, gold coin of the United States,

Third

I give devise and bequeath in trust to my son in
Law, said Robert Nixon, the sum of Two Thousand (2000)
Dollars gold coin of the United States in and upon the
following trust to wit: to invest and loan the same out
at interest and to keep the same so loaned out at
interest upon ample security given therefor, to
apply the interest and income derived therefrom, so far
as he shall deem requisite, in the education of such
of the Children of my said daughter Gertrude Nixon as
as shall be living at the time of my death, until
said Children shall ^{respectively} attain the ages of majority, at
which time to pay, over to each one of such Children
as shall attain the age of majority, an equal portion
of said sum of Two Thousand Dollars, and if any of
the Children of my said daughter Gertrude Nixon shall die before the age of
majority the interest therein to which he she or they
would have been entitled upon attaining the age of
majority, to be paid over by said Trustee to the re-
maining Children of my said daughter Gertrude Nixon in equal parts as they
shall respectively attain such age of majority.

Fourth

I hereby give devise and bequeath all the rest
residue and remainder of all estate of which I
shall die seized, entitled to or possessed of whether
real, personal or mixed, and wheresoever situated

To my beloved wife Ellenor Spencer
Fifth

In the event of the death of my said beloved wife Ellenor Spencer before me, then and in that case, I give devise and bequeath all the estate to which she would have been entitled if living at the time of my death to my said daughter Gertrude Nixon

Sixth

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my said beloved wife Ellenor Spencer, sole Executor of this my last will and Testament, with full power and authority to sell and dispose of any and all Estate whether real or personal of which I shall die seized, entitled or possessed of without the necessity of applying for or obtaining any order or orders of sale from such Court or Courts as shall have jurisdiction of my Estate, and I hereby expressly direct and request that no bond whatsoever shall be required to be given by my said Executor for the performance or discharge of any of the duties of this trust,

Seventh

In the event of the death of my said wife before me I hereby nominate constitute and appoint my said son in law Robert Nixon the sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, and request and direct that no bond shall be required of him for the discharge of any of the duties of the trust, with the same power of authority hereby conferred upon said Robert Nixon to sell and dispose of my estate as is conferred upon my said wife in the sixth subdivision of this my Last Will and Testament,

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 12th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and seventy seven, in the presence of Crittenden Robinson and C. P. Robinson subscribing witness,

Crittenden Robinson
 C. P. Robinson

Alexander Spencer

The foregoing Instrument was subscribed at the end thereof by Alexander Spencer, the Testator therein mentioned in our presence in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California on the 12th day of

April A.D. 1877 and he, at the time of subscribing the same, published and declared the said instrument to be his Last Will and Testament and we the undersigned at his, the Testator's request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, and at the time of his so subscribing his name, signed our names as the attesting witnesses thereto.

Crittenden Robinson Residence No. 2512 Octavia St. San Francisco,
C. P. Robinson Residence No. 1422 Hyde St. San Francisco,

I Alexander Spencer, the Testator in the foregoing Will do hereby make, publish and declare this to be a Codicil to my Will and Testament in manner following that is to say: I, ^{thereby} revoke annul and Cancel, in full the bequest of Two thousand dollars in trust to my son in law Robert Nixon as set forth and contained in the Third subdivision of my said will and Testament, and in addition to the bequest to my daughter Gertrude Nixon contained and set forth in the Second subdivision of my Will and Testament, I hereby give devise and bequeath to her my said daughter the further sum of Two thousand dollars, in gold coin in addition to the bequest of Five hundred dollars in said second subdivision set forth. In all other respects my said Will and Testament is to remain the same, as herein set forth and expressed. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at the City and County of San Francisco, California, this 5th day of June A.D. 1891.

Witness

Crittenden Robinson

C. P. Robinson

} Alexander Spencer

The foregoing Codicil was subscribed at the end thereof by Alexander Spencer in our presence in the City and County of San Francisco, California on the 5th day of May A.D. 1891 and that at the time of so subscribing the same published and declared the same to be a Codicil to his said Last Will and Testament and we the undersigned at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other and at the time of his so subscribing the same have hereunto signed our names at the end

thereof as attesting witnesses thereto.

Crittenden Robinson #1148 Market St San Francisco,

C. P. Robinson Residence 2010 Pacific Avenue San Francisco,

Endorsed, Filed Jan. 16th 1892 J. W. Mandell
Clerk,

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.

In the Matter of the } Certificate of Proof of Will
Estate of } and the facts found
Alexander Spencer }
Deceased }

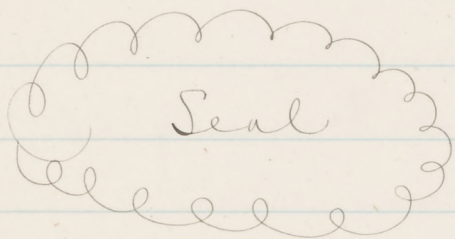
State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

I Geo. McGill Judge of the said Superior Court do hereby
Certify that on the Fifteenth day of March 1892 the
annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last
Will and Testament of Alexander Spencer deceased, and
from the proofs taken and the examinations had
therein the said Court finds as follows: That said
Alexander Spencer died on or about the third day of
January 1892 in the County of Inyo State of California
that at the time of his death he was a resident of
the said County of Inyo State of California that the
said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent
in his lifetime in the City and County of San Francisco
State of California and signed by the said Testator
in the presence of Crittenden Robinson and C. P.
Robinson the subscribing witnesses thereto, also that
he acknowledged the execution of the same in their
presence, and declared the same to be his last will
and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the
same at his request in his presence and in the
presence of each other, that the said decedent at
the time of executing said will was of the age of 76
years and upwards, was of sound and disposing
mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or
undue influence nor in any respect incompetent
to devise and bequeath his estate, In Witness

Whereof I have signed this Certificate, and Caused the same to be attested by the Clerk, of said Court under the Seal thereof this 15th day of March 1892

Geo. M. Dill
Judge of the Superior Court
J. W. Vandell
Clerk,

Attest



Recorded at request of Seth G. Sueden

J. W. Vandell
Co. Recorder

Camp Independence
Inyo County
California

March 19th 1892

Know all men by these presents that I Jacob. Vagt being of sound and disposing state of mind and memory and desiring to settle my worldly affairs while I have the strength and capacity, do hereby make and publish this my last will and testament

Firstly

I bequeath to my wife Henrietta Vagt all my personal property and effects.

Secondly.

I bequeath to my wife Henrietta Vagt, all my real property also.

Thirdly.

The provisions of this will shall hold good, provided Henrietta Vagt remains unmarried after my death; but provided she shall remarry, she shall retain one half of my property, real and personal, the remaining one half to be divided among my (3) three children, Heattie, Lena and Jacob. Vagt share and share alike, when the youngest shall have attained the legal age of majority. Lastly, I appoint Heinrich Glade and

Henry Fehrmann as executors of this will and testament
Signed, Jacob. Vagt.

On the 19th day of March 1892, the above named Jacob Vagt in our presence signed the foregoing instrument and declared to us that the same was his last will and testament and requested us to subscribe our names hereto as witnesses; and we, in his presence, and in the presence of each other have in compliance with such request hereto subscribed our names.

Henry Fehrmann Independence, Chas. E. Turner Independence
Heinrich Glade Independence, Christina Fehrmann Independence

(Endorsed) Filed March 29 1892

J. W. Mandell
Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California, Probate

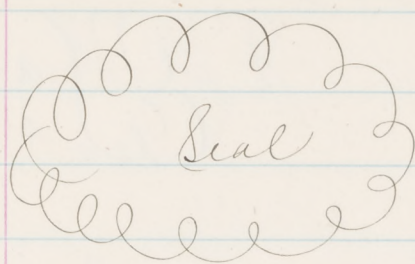
In the Matter of the
Estate of
Jacob. Vagt.
Deceased

Certificate of
Proof of Will.

I Geo. McGill Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo do hereby Certify: That on the 18th day of April A.D. 1892, the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Jacob Vagt deceased; that the testimony taken on the Probate of said will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein the said Court finds as follows: That Jacob Vagt died on the 20th day of March A.D. 1892, in the County of Inyo State of California and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime in the County of Inyo State of California, in the presence of Charles E. Turner and Christina Fehrmann the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last will and

Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate, In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and Caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 18th day of April A.D. 1892

Geo. M. Gill
Judge of the Superior Court,



Attest, J. N. Handell
Clerk

Recorded at request of F. C. Senmore April 20 1892

J. N. Handell
Co. Recorder,

Last Will and Testament of John. Blair

In the name of God. Amen. I John Blair of the County of Inyo. State of California. being fully impressed with the uncertainty of human life and being at this time of sound mind. and disposing memory. do hereby make this my last will and Testament. revoking all other will heretofore made if any there are.

Item 1st

I desire that my body shall be buried in the Bishop Creek Cemetery, and in and upon what is known as the Dugan burial lot.

Ind

I request that my burial shall be decent, but plain and without especial or extra expenditure

3rd

After first paying out of the first bequest of my effects and my just debts and legal liabilities I do bequeath and give my estate as follows - For and in consideration of the love and affection I have and bear to & for Charles Dugan and Balda Dugan, the children of Anna Dugan in equal parts and to be equally divided between. The said Charles Dugan, and Balda Dugan the children of the said Anna Dugan, after my demise, all of the following described personal and Real Estate

I

All debts kind credits which may be due and owing to me.

II

all Cash that I may have, and my movables of good of whatever kind, and character.

III

The one undivided, one half interest of in and to the what is usually and generally known as the owns Valley Flouring Mill situate in Inyo County, State of California, and on the waters of Bishop Creek, together with all the land and realty of whatever kind I may at the time of my demise be possessed of or entitled to.

¶ V

And should there be any property either personal or real which properly belongs to my estate and which has not been mentioned in the above items of bequests. I desire that the same be taken and considered as having been given and bequeathed to the said Charles and Baldo Dugan.

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For the purpose carrying in to effect the articles and stipulations of this my will. I hereby nominate and appoint Anna Dugan, the mother of the said Charles and Baldo Dugan, and the wife of John Dugan to be my Executrix, and that the said executrix, shall not be required to give any bonds, what soever for the due fulfillment of the duties hereby imposed, and should there be any legal question as to the legality of the said Anna Dugan, she being a married woman, to carry out the terms of this my will then I join with her John Dugan, the husband of the said Anna Dugan & the father of the said Charles & Baldo Dugan signed and sealed, this 17th day of Feb. A. D. 1887.

Witness

John Blair {Seal}

This instrument was
signed in the presence of
the subscribing witnesses and
the subscribing witnesses

subscribed their names in the presence of each other
and at the request of the said John Blair

Seth J. Sneider
A. R. Briggs

Filed Jan. 25-1893.

D. J. Hession
Clerk

Recorded at request of S. J. Sneider.

D. J. Hession
Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Sonoma
State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of { Certificate of Prob. Will
John Blair } and the facts found.
Deceased }

State of California } ss
County of Sonoma

I, Geo. M. Gill, Judge of the
Superior Court, do hereby certify

That on the ~~Seventeenth~~^{Sixteenth} day of February 1893. The annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of John Blair deceased, that the testimony taken on the probate of said will, has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had thereon the said Court finds as follows:-
That John Blair died on or about the twenty fifth day of January 1893 in the County of Sonoma, State of California, that at the time of his death was a resident of the said County of Sonoma, State of California and that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life time, in the County of Sonoma, State of California; and signed by the said testator in the presence of Seth G. Sweden and A. R. Briggs, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and Testament and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said will was of the age of 62 years and upwards, was of sound disposing mind, and not under restraint, duress, menace, fraud, undue influence, or fraudulent misrepresentations on in any respect incompetent, to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under Seal thereof.

This 16th day of February 1893

{Seal} attest, D. J. Messier Clerk

Geo. M. Gill, Judge

Last Will and Testament of Schuyler Williams

In the name of God amen

I Schuyler Williams residing about ten miles south of the town of Bishop Inyo County State of California of the age of sixty eight years and being of sound and disposing mind memory and not acting under duress fraud or undue influence of any person whatever do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner following that is to say

First I give and bequeath all my estate both real and personal of which I may be seized and possessed after paying my funeral expenses and just debts one half of said estate real and personal to my nephew Frank Elijah now residing with me

Second the balance of the estate I give and bequeath to my sisters Cynthia Yenger residing with me and Mary Jane Elijah residing in Newton County State of Indiana share and share alike

Third I appoint Frank Elijah my executor and Cynthia Yenger executrix of this my last will and testament to serve without giving bond, undertaking or security whatever

Fourth If my executor and executrix so desire they can sell the personal property at public or private sale as they may elect without order of Court and are authorized to pay all the debts funeral &c

Fifth I hereby revoke all former wills by me made

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this sixteenth day of November A D 1889

Schuyler Williams (Seal)

The above and foregoing instrument consisting of two pages besides this was at the

date thereof by the said Schuyler Williams signed sealed and published as and declared to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Thomas Williams
Residence Round Valley
Charles Summers
Residence Bishop Creek

Ordered: Last Will and Testament of Schuyler Williams. Filed Feby 15 1893 D. J. Venners Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California

In the Matter of the } Certificate of Proof of Will
Estate of } and the
Schuyler Williams } Facts Found.

State of California
County of Inyo ss

I, Geo. W. Gill, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify: That on the 14 day of March 1893, the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Schuyler Williams, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Schuyler Williams died on or about the 8th day of February 1893, in the County of Inyo State of California that at the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime, in the said County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of Thomas Williams and Charles Summers the subscribing witnesses thereto: also that he acknowledged the execution of the same

in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of 71 years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said court, under the seal thereof, this 14 day of March 1893

Geo. M. Gill
Judge.

Attest: D. J. Hession,
Clerk.

Recorded this 14 day of March 1893
D. J. Hession
Clerk

Last Will and Testament

-of-

John F. Lubken.

In the Name of God, Amen. I, John F. Lubken, of the town of Lone Pine, in the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of fifty-six years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatsoever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and

condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Second. I direct that my Executrix hereinafter named, as soon as she has sufficient funds in her hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly. I give and devise to my wife, Augusta Lubken, an undivided one half interest of, in and to all property, both real and personal, of which I may die possessed, save and excepting any interest in and to \$1000.00 now on deposit in my name in the German Savings and Loan Society, San Francisco, California.

Fourthly. I give and devise to my children, John Henry Lubken, Charles Julius Lubken, Amy Lubken, Albert Lubken, and Arthur Lubken an undivided one half interest of, in and to all property, both real and personal, of which I may die possessed.

Fifthly. I give and bequeath to my said children, share and share alike, \$1000.00 now on deposit in my name in the German Savings and Loan Society of San Francisco, California. When each of my children shall arrive at the age of turnly one years he or she shall receive his or her one-fifth of said \$1000.00.

Sixthly. I hereby appoint my wife, Augusta Lubken, guardian of the persons and estates of my said children, without bonds, she to act as such guardian so long as she remains unmarried. In case my said wife should marry again I request and direct the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California to appoint a guardian of the persons and estates of my said children.

Seventh. I hereby nominate and appoint my said wife, Augusta Lubken, the Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, without bonds, and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this thirtieth day of July, 1891.

John P. Lubken (Seal)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one

page besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said John F. Lubken, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Henry Rhine,
Residing at Independence, Inyo Co., Cal.
Reller S. Carrasco,
Residing at Independence, Inyo Co., Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate
John F. Lubken, }
Deceased. } Proof of Will.

I, Geo. W. Gill, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:-

That on the tenth day of April, A.D. 1893, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of John F. Lubken, deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein, and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That said John F. Lubken died on the twenty fourth day of February, A.D. 1893, in the County of Inyo, State of California and at the time of his death was a resident of said County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life time, in the County of Inyo, in the presence of Henry Rhine and Reller S. Carrasco the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in

the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under constraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentation, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 10th day of April A. D. 1893.

Seal

Geo. M. Gill
Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest:

D. J. Hession,
Clerk

The Last Will and Testament of

Thomas Williams of Big Pine, Inyo Co., Cal.

Dated October 1st, 1893.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, Thomas Williams of Big Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of fifty-seven years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say:—

First, I direct that my body be buried decently but without ostentation or undue expense, and that the expenses thereof be paid out of my estate.

Secondly, I give, devise and bequeath

to my beloved wife Sarah Ann Williams,
all my property both real and personal of every
nature and kind and wheresoever situated.

Lastly; I hereby nominate and appoint my
beloved wife Sarah Ann Williams the executrix
of this, my last Will and Testament, and direct
that no bonds be required of her as such exec-
utrix and hereby revoke all former Wills by me
made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this first day of October, in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and ninety three

Thos Williams Seal

The foregoing instrument con-
sisting of one page beside this,
was at the date hereof, by the
said Thomas Williams, signed
and sealed and published as,
and declared to be, his last Will
and Testament, in presence of
us, who, at his request, and in
his presence, and in the presence
of each other, have subscribed our
names as witnesses thereto.

Chas E. Dorrance

Residing at Bishop, Inyo County, California

Stephen G. Grege

Residing at Big Pine, Inyo County, California

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California. - Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Thomas Williams,

Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will.

I George M. Gill, Judge
of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State
of California, do hereby certify: -

That on the 4th day of November A. D.
1893, the annexed instrument was admitted to
probate as the last Will and Testament of

Thomas Williams, deceased, that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein, and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had thereon, the said Court finds as follows

That Thomas Williams died on the second day of October A. D. 1893, in the said County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time, in the said County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of Stephen G. Gregg and Charles E. Dorrance the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said will as aforesaid was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 4th day of November, 1893. A. D. 1893.

Geo. M. Gill,

Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest:

Seal

D. J. Kessios,

Clerk

In the name of God, Amen.

I August Matschke of Clancha, Inyo County, California, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, Do make, publish and declare This my last will and Testament in manner following, That is to say:-

First. I give, devise and bequeath all and singular the property, real, personal and mixed, of which I shall die seized or possessed, to my brother Henry Matschke of California, my cousin Joseph Matschke of Friedewalde, Kreis Grottkau, Schlesien, Prussia, and Martha Sawatsch of Kirchmatz, Kreis Grottkau, Schlesien, Prussia, share and share alike and in case of the death of any of the aforesaid heirs his or her share shall revert to the surviving heir or heirs in equal parts, to each.

Second. I nominate, constitute and appoint Horace Bellows of Clancha, Inyo County, California, and Bernhard Rhine of Independence, Inyo County California Executors of this my last Will and Testament and hereby expressly direct that no bonds be required to be given by them for the performance of any of the duties of their trust as such. And hereby expressly authorize and empower my said executors to sell any portion of my Estate either Real or Personal property which shall come into their hands as such, at such time after my death on such terms and in such manner as they may deem most advantageous for the interest of my estate without obtaining for the sale or sales thereof any order or orders of sale from any Court having jurisdiction of my estate. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Fourth day of May Eighteen Hundred and ninety two

August Matschke Seal
Henry Rhine, Independence Inyo County California.
Charles S. Meroney, Independence Inyo County, California
Subscribed and sealed by the Testator

August Matschke in the presence of each of the undersigned. The said Testator at the time of subscribing the said will declared the same to be his last will and Testament and, in his presence and in the presence of each other and at the request of said Testator have subscribed our names as witnesses on this Fourth day of May Eighteen Hundred and ninety-two

Henry Rhine Independence Inyo County California
Charles S. Meroney Independence Inyo County California
{ Indorsed } - Filed Jan 12, 1895

D. J. Wernon, Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will
August Matschke } and the
Deceased } Facts Found

I, W. D. Arnot, Acting Judge of the said Superior Court do hereby certify:

That on the 12th day of February 1895, the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of August Matschke deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had thereon, the said Court finds as follows:

That said August Matschke died on or about the 5th day of January 1895, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California; that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and signed by the said Testator in the presence of Henry Rhine and Charles S. Meroney the subscribing witnesses thereto, also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other; that the

decendent at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of 38 years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 12 day of February 1895.

W. D. Arnot

Acting Judge of the
Superior Court.

Attest: D. J. Henrich,

Clerk.

Recorded this 12th day of January, 1895,

D. J. Henrich,

Clerk.

By J. E. Parker
Deputy Clerk

{ Seal }

The Last Will and Testament

of
A. A. Diaz

Dated Mch 18th, 1895.

In the Name of God, Amen

I, A. A. Diaz, widow of Eleutaro Diaz, deceased of the town of Lone Pine, County of Inyo State of California and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or under the influence of any person whatsoever, do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say:

First, I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly, I direct that my executrix hereafter named, as soon as she has sufficient funds in her hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness, and the allowance made to my family.

Thirdly, I give, bequeath, and devise all the real and personal property, and all property of every name and nature whatsoever, and wheresoever situated, owned by me at the time of my death, to my dear daughter, Delfina Diaz, now of the town of Lone Pine, County of Inyo, State of California.

Fourthly, By this Will I have given all my property to my said daughter, Delfina Diaz, and have not made any provisions herein for, nor left any property hereby to my children, Abraham Diaz, Manuel Diaz, Rafael Diaz, Eleuterio Diaz, Nicholosa Diaz, Magdalena Diaz, Louisa Diaz, Maximino Diaz, and Arturo Diaz, or either of said children believing and trusting that my said daughter, Delfina, will care for each and all of said children whenever and as long as they shall require assistance, and she is able to assist them.

Fifthly, I hereby nominate and appoint my said daughter, Delfina Diaz, guardian of the persons and estates of all my minor children to wit, guardian of, Eleuterio Diaz, Nicholosa Diaz, Magdalena Diaz,

Solis Diaz, Mariano Diaz, and Alturo Diaz, to act without any bond or bonds as such guardian.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint my said daughter, Welfina Diaz, the executrix of this my last Will and Testament to act without giving any bond or bonds as such executrix, and I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five

A. A. ^{her} Diaz {Seal}
mark

Witness to mark and
signature of A. A. Diaz;
Rellu S. Carrasco }
B. E. Lasky. }

The foregoing instrument consisting of two pages besides this, was at the date hereof, by the said A. A. Diaz,

Signed and Sealed and Published as, and declared to be, her last Will and Testament in presence of us, who at her request, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witness thereto.

Rellu S. Carrasco

Residing at Lone Pine Cal
B. E. Lasky

Residing at Lone Pine Cal

{Endorsed} Filed April 23 1895

Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will
A. A. Diaz } and the Facts Found.
Deceased }

State of California, } ss.
County of Inyo. }

I, N. W. Annot, Acting Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 27th day of July, 1895, the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of A. A. Diaz, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said A. A. Diaz died on or about the 25th day of March 1895, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of her death she was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California; that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in her lifetime, in the County of Inyo, aforesaid County, State of California, and signed by the said testatrix in the presence of Keller S. Carrasco, and J. E. Lasky, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that she acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be her last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of fifty-five years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 27th day of July 1895.

W. H. Amos
Acting Judge.

{Endorsed} Filed July 27, 1895.

N. J. Hession
Clerk.

Recorded this 27th day of July, 1895.

N. J. Hession
Clerk.

Last Will and Testament

- of -

Manuella Diaz

In the Name of God, Amen

I, Manuella Diaz of the town of Lone Pine, County of Inyo State of California, of the age of sixty years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or under the influence of any person whatever, do make public and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say:

First, I give and bequeath to my niece Saira Diaz a minor The N¹/₂ of lot No 2 Block 16 with all improvements thereon, together with all the household goods and everything on the premises. Said Premises is in the town of Lone Pine County of Inyo State of California

Secondly, To Augustine Pizzarro Lot No 1 and fractional Lot No 4 fractional Lot 5. fractional lot 8. in block 21 in the town of Lone Pine County of Inyo State of California.

Thirdly, To Delfina Carrasco, Rafael Diaz and Soilo Diaz a minor Lot 2 and 3 in block 25 in Town of Lone Pine and to be found on record in the name of Manuella Vargas (being my Maiden name.) and West 1/2 of Lot 8 West 1/2 of lot 5 in block 5 in the town of Lone Pine County of Inyo State of California and 50 acres of land being a fraction of the Ranch known as the Diaz ranch adjoining the land of E. H. Edwards on the South together with all the improvements thereon and farming

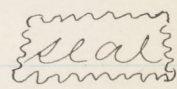
implements utensils and wagon and stock consisting of Horses, Mules and Cattle, and 50 shares in the Lone Pine Water Company, and all my right title and interest in and to six lots in the town of Alvies County of Santa Clara State of California This property to be divided in equal ~~portions to each other one of the last three parties mentioned~~

portion to each one of the last three persons mentioned except what personal property is necessary to be sold by the executor to pay the expenses of the administration of the Estate

Lastly: I hereby nominate and appoint Jesus J. Carrasco without bond or bond the executor of this my last Will and Testament

and hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety six

Manuela ^{Her} + Diaz 
Mark

The foregoing instrument consisting of 1 page besides this, was at the date hereof, by the said Manuela Diaz Signed and Sealed and Published as, and declared to be their Her last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at Her request, and in the presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

E. H. Edwards
Residing at Lone Pine
County of Inyo State of California
Rellis S. Carrasco
Residing at Lone Pine
County of Inyo State of California

In the Superior Court of the County of
Inyo, State of California

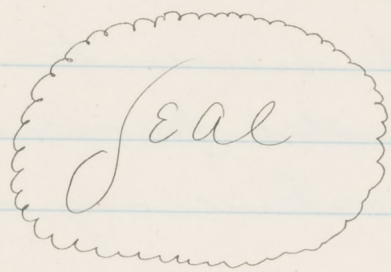
In the matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof
Manuella Diaz } of Will and the
Deceased } Facts Found

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, W. H. Vinden, Acting Judge of the
Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 13th day of June 1896, the
annexed Instrument was admitted to
Probate as the last Will and Testament
of Manuella Diaz, deceased, and from
the proofs taken and the examinations
had therein, the said Court finds as
follows:

That said Manuella Diaz died on or
about the 11th day of January, 1896, in
the County of Inyo, State of California;
that at the time of her death she
was a resident of the County of Inyo,
State of California; that the said annex-
ed Will was duly executed by the said
decedent, in her lifetime, in the
County of Inyo aforesaid, State of
California, and signed by the said testa-
~~ment~~ ^{ment} ~~trix~~ in the presence of Rellies
S. Canasco and E. H. Edwards, the sub-
scribing witnesses thereto; also that she
acknowledged the execution of the same
^(in their presence and declared the same)
to be her last Will and Testament, and
the said witnesses attested the same at
her request in her presence and in the
presence of each other; that the said
decedent, at the time of executing said
Will, was of the age of sixty years and
upwards, was of sound and disposing
mind, and not under duress, menace,
fraud or undue influence, nor in any
respect incompetent to devise and bequeath
her estate.



In Witness Whereof, I have signed
this certificate, and caused
the same to be attested by the
Clerk of said Court, under the
seal thereof, this 13th day of
June, 1896.

W. H. Virden
Acting Judge

Attest

D. J. Hession
Clerk.

{ Endorsed; Filed June 13 - 1896

D. J. Hession
Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, Victor Eugene Pavier, now of San Francisco City and County of San Francisco State of California of the age of 46 years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will And Testament in the manner following, that is to say:

First, it is my wish that all my just debts and the expenses of my funeral be paid as soon as possible by my executor hereinafter named.

Secondly, I give, devise and bequeath all my estate, real, personal, or mixed, wheresoever situate, of which I may die possessed at the time of my death, to the following named persons, as follows: One half of my estate to my friend Francois Payer, residing at No. 814 Montgomery Street and the other half of my estate to my godson Victor Amand, son of Mme Mary E. Amand, residing at No. 921 Post Street.

Third, to my brother and to my nephews and nieces, or to any of my relatives, or next of kin, now residing in France, or elsewhere, I desire to leave nothing, as they are all well provided for and for the further reason that none of them have any claims to my generosity.

Fourth, I hereby give my executor full authority and power, to sell, dispose of or convey any portion of my estate, real or personal, without any notice and without any order of court therefore, as fully to all intents and purposes as if I were living, subject nevertheless to confirmation by the Court having jurisdiction over my estate.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint Jean Rebaratz of 814 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California, as the executor of this my Last Will and Testament and it is my wish and I direct that he be not required to give or furnish any bonds for the faithful performance of his duties at any stage of the administration of my estate, and hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 27th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety six.

Victor Eugene Dupier "Seal"

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Victor Eugene Dupier,

Signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

P. A. Sadarin

Residing at French Hospital S. F.

P. A. Bergerot

Residing at 14 Kalish St. S. F.

(Endorsed) Filed June 27, 1896.

D. J. Bessier

Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof
Victor Eugene Tripiet, } - of -
deceased. } Will.

I, W. H. Virden, Acting Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Inyo, do hereby certify: That on the thirtieth day of September, A.D. 1896, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Victor Eugene Tripiet, deceased; That the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectfully; and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:—

That Victor Eugene Tripiet died on the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1896, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the presence of P. H. Padaric and P. C. Bergerot, _____ the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this thirtieth day of September, A.D., 1896.

W. H. Virden

Acting Judge of the Superior Court.

(Endorsed) Filed, Sept. 30-1896.

D. J. Hession

Clerk.

Recorded, Sept. 30-1896.

D. J. Hession

Recorder.

I, Robert Harry of the Town of Darwin, County of Inyo, State of California, being of sound mind do hereby make and declare this to be my last will and testament

First, after all my lawful debts are paid and discharged the residue of my estate I give and bequeath to my blood brother James Harry; of the town of Darwin, including all real estate, and all personal property belonging to me at the time of my death.

I do hereby make and appoint my said brother James, the guardian of my children and executor of this my last will and testament.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed my seal this twenty second day of July A. D. 1897.

Robert Harry

Witness:- Manuel Romero

Timothy Richards

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

On this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven before me J. J. Stewart, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn personally appeared Robert Harry known to me to be the person described in and whose name is subscribed to the within

instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written

J. J. Stewart
Notary Public in and for Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California
In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Harry }
deceased } Certificate of Proof of Will,

I, Walter A. Lamar Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:-

That on the 14th day of October A. D. 1897, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Robert Harry deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That Robert Harry died on the 19 day of August A. D. 1897, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of Timothy Richards and Manuel Romero, the subscribing witnesses thereto, also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared ^{the same} to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, under influence, duress, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentation, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto signed this

certificate and caused the same to be attested
by the Clerk of this Court under the seal thereof,
this 8th day of Oct. A. D., 1897.

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest: N. J. Hession

Clerk

Endorsed: Filed Oct 18 1897

N. J. Hession

Clerk

O. W. Forbes Attorney for Executor.

Last Will and Testament Of Edouard Chenot

In the name of God, Amen! I, Edouard Chenot, of
the Town of Independence, County of Inyo, State of
California, of the age of seventy-three years, and
being of sound and disposing mind and memory,
and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue
influence of any person whatever, do make, pub-
lish and declare this my last Will and Testament,
in manner following, that is to say:

First, I direct that my body be decently buried
with proper regard to my station and condition in life,
and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly, I direct that my executors, hereinafter
named, as soon as they have sufficient funds in
their hands, pay my funeral expenses and the
expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly, I give, devise and bequeath to my bro-
ther, Auguste Chenot, of Engles, in the Kingdom of
Belgium, all my estate, both real and personal,
of every name, nature and kind whatsoever, owned
by me at the time of my death.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint J. E.
Shepherd and W. L. Hunter of the County of Inyo, State
of California, the executors of this, my Last Will
and Testament, and in case of the death of either

then the survivor to act as sole executor thereof. And it is hereby expressly provided that no bond shall be required of said executors or either of them before receiving letters testamentary, or at all, and that sales of real estate and personal property be made by them, or the survivor of them, and confirmed by the Court, without any bond whatever, and I hereby revoke all former wills made by me.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty-second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Edouard Chenot {SEAL}

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page, besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Edouard Chenot, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto,

D. J. Hession

Residing at Independence Inyo Co, Cal.
Wells Barnes

Residing at Independence Inyo Co, Cal.

P. S. In addition to the foregoing I wish that before any distribution of my real or personal property is made that all my debts which I owe at the time of my death are paid first.

San Francisco November 1st 1897

In Witness Whereof

Edouard Chenot,

Ad. Eisenbach

{Endorsed} Last Will and Testament of Edouard Chenot
Filed Nov. 1st 1898. D. J. Hession, Clerk,
By C. N. Rose, Deputy

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California
Probate

In the Matter of the Estate of Edouard Chenot, Deceased } Certificate of Proof of Will

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Inyo, do hereby certify:—

That on the twenty-sixth day of November, A.D., 1898, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Edouard Checot, deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:—

That Edouard Checot did on the thirteenth day of October A.D. 1898, in the said County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly examined by the said decedent in his life-time, in the said County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of O. J. Hession and Wells Barnes the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentation, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this twenty-sixth day of November, A.D. 1898.

(Seal)

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of the Superior Court

Attest O. J. Hession

Clerk.

(Endorsed) Filed Nov. 28, 1898.

O. J. Hession

Clerk

In the name of God Amen

I Eli W. Flexiker, resident of the town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California age 60 years being of sound and disposing mind and memory in good health considering the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death do hereby make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following that is to say

First

I desire all my just debts and liabilities to be paid

Second

After paying my just debts and liabilities all the residue and balances of my property both Real and Personal I give devise and bequeath to my daughter Mary Elizabeth McGranahan wife of — McGranahan residing in Chicago State of Illinois

Third

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my said daughter Mary Elizabeth McGranahan sole executrix of this my last will and testament with full power to sell and dispose of any estate whether real or personal of which I shall die seized entitled to or possessed of without the necessity of applying for or obtaining any order or orders of sale from such Court or Courts as shall have jurisdiction of my estate and I hereby directly express and request that no bond whatsoever shall be required to be given by my said executrix for the performance or discharge of any of the duties of this trust

Fourth

In the event of my death and before Mary Elizabeth McGranahan my daughter can be communicated with I hereby nominate and appoint James Shaw of Bishop Inyo County State of California my special executor and direct that no bond shall be required of him for the discharge of any of the duties of the trust and if my said daughter does not consent to act as Executrix then and in that event James Shaw is to be sole Executor of this my last will

and testament without bond and with the same power hereby conferred and authority ~~afforded~~ upon said James Shaw to sell and dispose of my estate as is conferred upon my said daughter in the Third subdivision of this my last Will and Testament

Fifth

I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made
In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifteenth day of June A.D. 1893

Eli W. Fleuniken (Seal)

A. R. Jones
M. C. Hall

The foregoing instrument was subscribed at the end thereof by Eli W. Fleuniken the testator therein mentioned, in our presence in the Town of Bishop County of Inyo State of California on the fifteenth day of June A.D. 1893, and he at the time of subscribing the same, published and declared the said instrument to be his Last Will and Testament, and we the undersigned at his, the Testator's request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, and at the time of his so subscribing his name, signed our names as the attesting witnesses thereto

A. R. Jones

Residing at Bishop, Inyo County

M. C. Hall

Residing at Bishop Inyo County

(Endorsed) In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California, Last Will and Testament of E. W. Fleuniken, Deceased, Filed February 10th 1899, D. J. Hession, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of E. W. Fleuniken Deceased	} Certificate of Proof of Will and the Facts Found

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 25th day of March, 1899, the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the Last Will and Testament of E. W. Flenniken, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said E. W. Flenniken died on or about the 28th day of January, 1899, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo State of California; that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of A. R. Jones and M. C. Hall, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 25th day of March, 1899.

(Seal)

Walter A. Lamar

Judge

Attest: D. J. Hession, Clerk,

(Endorsed) Superior Court County of Inyo, In the Matter of the Estate of E. W. Flenniken, Deceased, Certificate of Proof of Will and the Facts Found, Filed March 25 1899 D. J. Hession, Clerk.

The Last Will and Testament
of
Emmet F. Still

Dated March 28th 1899

In the Name of God, Amen

I, Emmet F. Still a single man of Island County State of Washington but temporarily residing in Bishop, Inyo County California, of the age of sixty seven years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or under the influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my Last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say:

First, I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly, I direct that my Executor hereinafter named as soon as he has sufficient funds in his hands pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly; I give, bequeath and devise all of my property and estate both Real personal and mixed of every name, nature and kind whatsoever to my Brother Reuben W. Still, of Santa Barbara County California. Whose Post office address is Punta Gorda, Ventura County California.

Lastly; I hereby nominate and appoint Reuben W. Still of Santa Barbara County California whose Post Office Address is Punta Gorda Ventura County California the executor of my last Will and Testament, and hereby exempt him from giving any Bond as such Executor and I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine

Emmet F. Still (seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page

besides this, was at the date hereof, by the said
 Emmet F. Hill signed and sealed and Published as
 and declared to be, his Last Will and Testament, in
 presence of us who at his request, and in his presence
 and in the presence of each other, have subscribed
 our names as witnesses thereto,

Geo Watterson

Residing at Bishop, Inyo Co, Calif.

A. Cohn

Residing at Bishop Inyo Co Calif

{Endorsed}

Filed May 17 1899 D. J. Hession, Clerk,

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
 State of California
 Probate

In the Matter of the Estate of
 of Emmet F. Hill } Certificate of Proof of Will
 Deceased }

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of
 the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:-

That on the 5th day of June A. D. 1899, the annexed
 instrument was admitted to probate as the last
 Will and Testament of Emmet F. Hill, deceased;
 that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will
 has been reduced ~~in~~ to writing and signed by the
 witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and
 from the proofs taken, and the examinations
 had therein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That Emmet F. Hill died on the 15th day of May
 A. D. 1899, in the County of Inyo, State of California,
 and at the time of his death was a resident of
 Oak Harbor, Island County, State of Washington
 That the said annexed Will was duly executed
 by the said decedent in his life-time, in the
 County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence
 of George Watterson and A. Cohn the subscribing
 witnesses thereto, Also, that he acknowledged
 the execution of the same in their presence
 and declared the same to be his last Will and
 Testament, and the said witnesses attested the
 same at his request, in his presence, and in
 the presence of each other. That the said de-

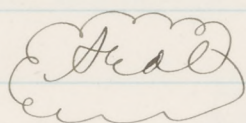
cedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 5th day of June A.D. 1899

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of the Superior Court
Attest D. J. Hession

Clerk



Endorsed)

Filed Jun 5 1899, D. J. Hession, Clerk

I Carmen C. Gonzales Carrasco, of Lone Pine Inyo Co, California, do make publish and declare this to be my last will, To wit:

I give to my husband Reles S. Carrasco The Property I have in Magdalena, Sonora, Mexico, left to me by my father Alejo Gonzales, and this home where I live, I want my mother Jesus C. Barragan to make it her home and after she dies it belongs to my Reles S. Carrasco to do as he likes with it. I nominate and appoint my said husband to be the executor of this my last will, in witness whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal this day of May 12 1899

Carmen C. Gonzales Carrasco

Witness

Dona Cruz

Endorsed)

Filed Aug 8 1899, D. J. Hession, Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California

Probate

In the Matter of the Estate }
of Carmen C. G. Carrasco } Certificate of Proof of Will
Deceased }

I, Walter A. Lamar Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:—

That on the 28th day of August A. D. 1899, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Carmen C. G. Carrasco deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced in writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:—

That Carmen C. G. Carrasco died on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1899 in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of her death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in her lifetime, in the said County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of Dona Cruz the subscribing witness thereto, also, that she acknowledged the execution of the same in her presence, and declared the same to be her last Will and Testament, and the said witness attested the same at her request, and in her presence. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentation, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her Estate,

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the seal thereof, this 28th day of August A. D. 1899.

(Seal)

Walter A. Lamar
Judge of the Superior Court
Attest O. J. Stession
Clerk

{Endorse} Filed Aug. 28 1899

O. J. Hession, Clerk.

In the name of God, Amen:

I, Francis M. Powers, residing near the town of Bishop, in the County of Inyo, State of California, age seventy-three years being of sound and disposing mind and memory considering the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, do hereby make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in the manner following, that is to say:

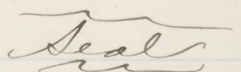
My property is community property and I desire Minerva Powers my wife to have her portion after paying all just debts and liabilities and my wife Minerva Powers taking her interest the residue is to be divided or sold as my executrix may choose and the proceeds divided equally between our children Esther F. Powers and Ethel R. Powers

I hereby nominate constitute and appoint my beloved wife Minerva Powers sole executrix of this my last Will and Testament with full power and authority to sell and dispose of any and all of the estate in any manner or way she may elect without the necessity of applying for any order of sale from any Court having jurisdiction of the estate, and I direct and request that no bond whatsoever shall be required to be given by my said executrix

I hereby appoint my wife Minerva Powers Guardian of our two children Esther F. Powers and Ethel R. Powers

I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 24th day of May AD 1893.

Francis M. Powers 

The foregoing instrument was subscribed at the end thereof by Francis M. Powers, the testator therein mentioned in our presence in the town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California on the twenty fourth day of May AD 1893 and he at the time of subscribing the same published and declared the said instrument to be his last Will and Testament, and we the undersigned at his, the testator's request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, and at the time of his subscribing his name, signed our names as the attesting witnesses thereto.

Frank K. Andrews
 Residence - Bishop - Inyo Co Cal
 CH Parsons,
 Residence, Bishop, Inyo Co Cal.

{Endorsed} Last Will and Testament
 of F. S. Powers. Filed August 11-1899.

W J Hession

Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California.
 Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
 Frank G. Powers,
 Deceased. } Certificate of Proof of Will.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of the
 County of Inyo, do hereby certify:

That on the 30th day of October A.D. 1899, the annexed instrument
 was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of
 Frank G. Powers, deceased; that the testimony taken on the
 probate of said Will has been reduced to writing, and signed
 by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from
 the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said
 Court finds as follows:

That said Frank G. Powers died on the 24th day of July
 A.D. 1899, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the
 time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the
 said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in
 his life time, in the said County of Inyo, State of California,
 in the presence of Frank K. Andrews, and CH Parsons, the
 subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the
 execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same
 to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested
 the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of
 each other. That the said decedent at the time of executing said
 will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards,
 was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, un-
 der influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepre-
 sentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and be-
 queath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused
 the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the seal
 thereof, this 30th day of October A.D. 1899.

Walter A. Lamar,
 Judge of the Superior Court.

(Endorsed) Filed Nov 22 - 1899.
 J. Hession,
 Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen,
 I, Timothy H. Henebry, of the age of about forty-two
 years of sound and disposing mind and memory and
 not acting under any duress, menace, fraud or undue
 influence whatever do make publish and declare this
 my last will and testament in manner following that is
 to say:

I will, devise and bequeath all property, real, personal
 or mixed of which I may die seized or possessed to
 my beloved brother William H. Henebry of Danbury, Con-
 necticut.

I appoint Clarence A. Miller of Los Angeles, California,
 as the executor of this my last will and testament.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this
 12 day of August 1900.

Timothy H. Henebry

The foregoing instrument was on the date thereof by the
 testator Timothy Henebry signed and published as and
 declared to be his last will and testament in presence of
 us who at his request and in his presence and in the pre-
 sence of each other have signed our names as witnesses
 thereto.

Simon James Adams

Residing at Sisters Hospital,
 Los Angeles, Cal.

H. Dickerman,

900 Grand Ave.

(Endorsed) Filed Sep 19, 1900.

J. E. Meroney,
 Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of
 California.

In the Matter of the Estate of
 Timothy H. Henebry, Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will and the Facts Found.
 State of California,
 County of Inyo, ss.

I, Walter A. Tamar, Judge of the Superior Court of Inyo County, State of California, do hereby certify that on the 6th day of October A.D. 1900, the annexed instrument was proved and admitted to probate in the said Superior Court, as the last will and testament of Timothy B. Henebry, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Timothy B. Henebry died on or about the 14th day of August A.D. 1900, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California; that the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California; that said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life time, in the said County of Los Angeles, and signed by the said testator in the presence of Lionel James Adams and W. Kiekerman, the attesting subscribing witnesses thereto; that the said Timothy B. Henebry at the time of subscribing his name to the said will, declared to the said witnesses that the said instrument was his will, and published and declared the same to be his last will and testament; and each of the said witnesses, at the request of the said testator, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, attested the same and signed his name thereto as a witness, at the end of the said will; that the said decedent at the time of executing the said will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, to wit: was of the age of about forty-two years, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of the said Court, and under the seal thereof, this 6th day of October, 1900.

Walter A. Tamar,
Judge of said Superior Court.
Attest:

J. O. Meroney, Clerk

By J. O. Laird, Deputy.

{Endorsed} Filed Oct 6th 1900.

J. O. Meroney, Clerk
By J. O. Laird, Deputy Clerk.

Last Will and Testament of Andrew Thomson.

Dated April 13th 1885.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, Andrew Thomson of Bishop Creek County of Inyo, State of California of the age of Sixty eight years and being of sound mind and memory and not acting under duress, menace fraud or undue influence of any person whatever do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner following- to wit that is to say

First I give bequeath and demise to my nephew Thomas Thomson of Bishop Creek, Inyo County, California (he and his family now residing with me) All my property Real, Personal and mixed that I may die possessed of.

Second I direct Thomas Thomson my said nephew to pay all my just debts and liabilities.

Third I appoint Thomas Thomson my said nephew Executor of this my last Will and Testament without giving any Bond undertaking or security of any kind.

Fourth I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the thirteenth day of April A.D. 1885

Andrew Thomson (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this was at the date thereof by the said Andrew Thomson signed sealed and published as and declared to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

A. K. Briggs

Residence Bishop Creeks

W. P. Yancy

Residence Bishop Creek.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California, do hereby certify:-

That on the sixth day of March, A.D. 1901, the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Andrew Thomson, deceased; and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That Andrew Thomson died on or about the tenth day of January, A.D. 1901, in the County of Inyo, State of California,

and at the time of his death was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California.

That the said annexed will was duly executed by said deceased in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of A. H. Briggs and W. P. Yaney, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the witnesses attested the same at his request and in his presence; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said will as aforesaid, was over the age of eighteen years, was of sound mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In witness whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the seal thereof, this sixth day of March, A. D. 1901.

Walter A. Lamar

Attest:

Judge of said Superior Court.

J. E. Meroney,
Clerk.

In the Name of God,

We the undersigned, husband and wife; I, Harry Fehrman of Elms Horn, and I, his wife, Christine, whose maiden name was Ramck, have concluded to make our last will and testament, stating herein what disposition we desire to be made, after our death, with our estate.

I.

First, we declare that our marriage has been without issue and that our parents on both sides are dead, so that there are no legal heirs to prevent us from disposing of our possessions according to our wishes.

II.

We declare through this instrument that the one surviving the other shall become sole heir. I, the testator give and bequeath to my wife Christine Fehrman, whose maiden name was Ramck, if she outlives me, all we possess, to use as long as she lives as she pleases, without giving any bonds or any inventory or any account to anyone of our estate, and I, the

testatrix, give and bequeath to my husband Henry Fehrman, if he outlives me, all we possess to use and dispose of as he sees fit, without giving any bond or taking any inventory or giving any accounting to any person whatsoever.

III

Should the survivor, after the death of the testator or of the testatrix, marry again, then if the husband dies first, the wife, the testatrix, shall and will give to the heirs of the testator half of the estate, excepting only Louis Fehrman now residing in America, he is the son of the testator's brother William Fehrman. Should however, the wife die first, and the husband marry again, then the husband shall not be compelled to give anything to the heirs of the testatrix.

IV.

Should the survivor die without having married again, then the estate shall go to the heirs of the testator, with the exception of the aforementioned Louis Fehrman.

V.

I, Henry Fehrman, state further that about 7 or 8 years ago, I made in America, a will which I now declare null and void.

VI

Having no further disposition to make, we pray only that this our last and most cherished will shall be carried out in every detail according to these our wishes, which are in every regard according to the law.

In Witness whereof, we hereunto have signed at the Kings Court rooms at Elmhurst on the 30th of March, 1889, our last and most cherished will.

Henry Fehrman.

Christine Fehrman.

I hereby testify that Henry Fehrman and his wife Christine Fehrman, whose maiden name was Ramck, living here in Elmhurst, being of sound and disposing mind, made this their last will and testament of their own free will, uninfluenced by anyone, and signed their names in presence of the witnesses Henry Horns and Friedrich Finke, and those witnesses have affixed their signature to this will in my presence with their own hands. I as Notary with my seal and signature attest that the above has been done as recorded and as required by law.

H. Horns

Friedrich Finke

} Witnesses.

A. Stahl

Notary Public.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California.
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will.
Christine Fehrman, Deceased.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:-

That on the 2nd day of April A.D. 1901, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Christine Fehrman, deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That Christine Fehrman died on the 27 day of April A.D. 1892, in the County of Inyo State of California, and at the time of her death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the decedent in her lifetime, in the town of Elmshorn, Germany, in the presence of H. Homs and Friedrich Finke the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also that she acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be her last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 2nd day of April, A.D. 1901.

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest:

{ Seal }

J. E. Moneys

Clerk.

The Last Will and Testament

of Richard Hession.

Dated August 1st, 1900.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, Richard Hession of Big Pine, County of Inyo State of California, of the age of 72 years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under any duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say:

First, I give and bequeathe to my Daughters Mary E. Tynan of Mokelumne Hill, and Jennie Smith and Richard P. Hession All my interest in Mortgages, notes and indebtedness of any kind or nature, which securites are held on properties in said Inyo County.

Secondly, I also Give and bequeathe to the above parties all money I have in Bank, together with all horses, Cattle, farming utensils and personal property I now own which property is located on the old Home in Inyo County State of Cal.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint Richard P. Hession of Big Pine Inyo Co. Cal. the executor of this my last Will and Testament without necessity of giving Bonds, and hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have herewith set my hand and seal, this 1st day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred 1900.

C. M. Burleson

Witness to Mark.

Richard ^{his} X Hession (Seal)
mark.

The foregoing instrument, consisting of One page besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Richard Hession Signed and Sealed and published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Thos. E. McSorley

Residing at Mokelumne Hill in Calaveras
County, State of California.

Daniel Black

Residing at Mokelumne Hill in Calaveras
County, State of California.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California.
 In the Matter of the Estate of }
 Richard Hession, deceased. } Certificate of Proof of Will
 And the Facts Found.

State of California }
 County of Inyo } ss.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the sixth day of May, 1901, the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Richard Hession, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Richard Hession died on or about the second day of August, 1900, in the County of Calaveras State of California that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime, in the said County of Calaveras aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of Thomas E. McFarley and Daniel Black the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of 72 years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 6th day of May 1901.

Walter A. Lamar

Judge.

(seal)

Attest:

J. E. McFarley,
 Clerk

The Last Will and Testament

of W. G. McCrosky,

Dated March 25th 1893.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, William G. McCrosky, a resident of Inyo County, State of California, age 79 years, being of sound and disposing mind and memory in good health, considering the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death do hereby make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following that is to say

First. After paying my just debts I give devise and bequeath all my property real and personal which I may die possessed of or in expectancy or wherever situate to William G. McCrosky, John McCrosky, Lee McCrosky, my sons, Jennie wife of Ouster Kitty wife of Ed Schober Eliza wife of P. Gunter and the child of Mary wife of Blager (Mary now dead) the same to be divided share and share alike.

Second, I hereby nominate constitute and appoint William G. McCrosky my son sole executor of this my last Will and Testament with full power and authority to sell and dispose of any and all estate whether real or personal at public or private sale of which I shall die ~~possessed~~ seized entitled to or possessed of without the necessity of applying for or obtaining any order or orders of sale from such Court or Courts as shall have jurisdiction of my estate and I hereby directly and expressly direct and request that no bond whatsoever shall be required to be given by my said executor for the performance of the duties of this trust.

Third, I hereby revoke all Wills by me heretofore made. In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 25th day of March 1893

in the presence of

W. G. McCrosky (seal)

J. H. Sturtenborough

J. E. Dunlap

The foregoing instrument was subscribed at the end thereof by William G. McCrosky the testator therein mentioned, in our presence in the town of Bishop County of Inyo, State of California on the 25th day of March 1893. and he at the time of subscribing the same published and declared the said instrument to be his last Will and Testament and we the undersigned at his the testators request and in his presence and in the presence of each other and at the time of his so subscribing his name signed our names as the attesting witnesses thereto.

J. H. Sturtenborough

Residence Bishop Inyo Co. Calif

J. E. Dunlap

Residence Bishop Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California
Probate

In the Matter of the Estate of }
W. G. McBrosky } Certificate of Proof of Will
Deceased } C. P. Sec. 1303

I, Walter A. Lamar Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Inyo do hereby certify that on the 22nd day of November A.D. 1901 the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of W. G. McBrosky deceased, that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively and filed herein: and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows. That said W. G. McBrosky died on the 28th day of October A.D. 1901 in the said County of Inyo State of California and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time in the said County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of J. H. Stontenborough and J. E. Dunslop the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other.

That the said decedent at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind and not under restraints undue influence menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof this 22nd day of November A. D. 1901

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of the Superior Court

Attest:

J. E. Meroney, Clerk.

[Endorsed]

Filed Nov. 22nd 1901

J. E. Meroney, Clerk.

In The Name Of God Amen:

I, Hezekiah W. Fitzgerald, of the County of Inyo, State of California, being of the age of seventy five years and being of a sound and disposing mind and memory, do make, publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament.

1. I hereby revoke all former wills made by me
2. I nominate and appoint Archie E. Fitzgerald and Elizabeth Fitzgerald executors of my ^{said} last will and testament and direct that they act without bonds.
3. I give and bequeath to my wife Elizabeth Fitzgerald all my estate of whatsoever kind, both real personal and mixed to be used and enjoyed by her

without any restraint or restriction whatever so long as she may live and I hereby direct that at the death of my said wife Elizabeth Fitzgerald that whatever of said property of whatever nature or kind shall be remaining it shall be divided shire and share alike between Luke Fitzgerald my son and my Daughter Mary Southerland. The omission to provide for other heirs is hereby declared to be intentional on my part.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty-sixth day of September A. D. 1901.

H. W. Fitzgerald. (seal)

We the undersigned hereby certify that we were present and saw Hezekiah Fitzgerald the testator named in the foregoing Will seal and execute the same at the date thereof, and he thereupon declared to us that said document was his last Will and Testament, and requested us to subscribe our names there to as witnesses and thereupon we in his presence and in the presence of each other then and there subscribed our names as witnesses to said Will.

Robert O'Neal

residing at Bishop Inyo County California

G. P. Doyle

residing at Bishop Inyo Co. California

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of }
Hezekiah W. Fitzgerald } Certificate of Proof of Will.
Deceased } C. C. P. Sec. 1308.

I, Walter A. Lamar Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify. That on the 29th day of November A. D. 1901 the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Hezekiah W. Fitzgerald, deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses, respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows. That Hezekiah W. Fitzgerald died on the 6th day of October A. D. 1901 in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time in the said County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of Robert O'Neal and G. P. Doyle the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in their presence and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid

was of the age of eighteen years and upwards was of sound and disposing mind and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof this 29th day of October A.D. 1901.

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of the Superior Court

Attest:

J. E. Meroney
Clerk,

(Endorsed)

Filed Nov. 29th 1901

J. E. Meroney, Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen:

I, John Henry Stoutenborough of the County of Inyo, State of California of the age of forty-six years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatever do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner following, that is to say:

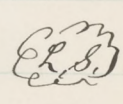
First: I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly: I direct that my executrix hereinafter named, as soon as she has sufficient funds in her hands, pay my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last sickness and all my just debts and liabilities.

Thirdly: I give and bequeath to my wife Sarah Jane Stoutenborough all my estate, both Real and Personal of whatever kind and description whatever, which shall remain after the payment of my just debts, and the expenses of administration, to have and to hold the same to her own use and benefit during her lifetime, and at her decease to be divided equally between my daughter Carrie Virginia Stoutenborough and my son John Henry Stoutenborough.

Lastly: I hereby nominate and appoint my wife Sarah J. Stoutenborough the sole executrix of this my last Will and Testament, without bonds, and hereby revoke all former wills made by me.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one.

J. H. Stoutenborough 

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this, was at the date hereof, by the said John Henry Stoutenborough signed and sealed and

published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

M. H. White

Residence - Bishop Creek, Inyo County Cal.

Geo. M. Gill

(Endorsed)

Residence - Bishop Creek, Inyo County Cal.

Filed March 18th 1902

J. E. Meroney, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo.

State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of }
J. H. Stoutenborough } Certificate of Proof of Will and the Facts Found.
Deceased. }

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, Walter A. Lamar Judge of the said Superior Court do hereby certify: That on the 4th day of April 1902, the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of J. H. Stoutenborough deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows: That said J. H. Stoutenborough died on or about the 5th day of March 1902, in the said County of Inyo, State of California that at the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime in the said County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California and signed by the said testator in the presence of M. H. White and Geo. M. Gill the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of 46 years, and upwards was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court under the seal thereof this 4th day of April 1902.

(Seal)

Walter A. Lamar Judge

Attest:

(Endorsed)

Filed Apr. 4th 1902

J. E. Meroney, Clerk

By W. O. Meroney

Deputy Clerk

J. E. Meroney,

Clerk

By W. O. Meroney

Deputy Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.
Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of
Richard Hession } Certificate of probate of Will.
Deceased. } C. O. P. Sec. 1308.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge
of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby
certify:— That on the 21st day of September, A.D. 1903,
the annexed instrument was admitted to probate
as the last Will and Testament of Richard P. Hession
deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of
said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by
the witnesses respectfully, and filed herein; and
from the proofs taken, and the examinations had
therein, the said Court finds as follows:—

That Richard P. Hession died on the second day
of August, A.D. 1903, in the City & County of San
Francisco State of California, and at the time of his
death was a resident of Inyo County. That the said
annexed Will was duly executed by the said
decedent in his life-time, in the County of Inyo, State
of California, in the presence of Fred R. Smith and
Mark Q. Waterson the subscribing witnesses thereto.

Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the
same in the presence, and declared the same to be
his last Will and Testament, and the said
witnesses attested the same at his request, in his
presence, and in the presence of each other.

That the said decedent, at the time of
executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the
age of eighteen years upwards, was of sound
and disposing mind, and not under
restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud,
duress, or fraudulent misrepresentations
or in any respect incompetent to devise
and bequeath his Estate.

In witness Whereof, I have signed
this certificate and caused the same to be
attested by the Clerk of this Court under
the seal thereof, this 21st day of September A.D. 1903.

Walter A. Lamar
Judge of the Superior Court

Seal

Attest:

J. L. Meroney
Clerk.

By W. O. Meroney
Deputy.

Filed Sep. 21st 1903

J. L. Meroney
Clerk.

In the name of God, Amen, I Richard P. Hession of Big Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of Forty-four years, and being of sound ~~mind~~ and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any kind, nor from any person, but with my mind fully made up, as to the best disposition of my property, and without any influence of any kind or from or of any person or persons whatsoever, do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testaments, in manner following, that is to say:

First, I direct that my body be decently buried, with proper regard to my condition and station in life and the circumstances of my Estate, Second, I direct my executrix, hereinafter named, that as soon as she may have sufficient funds in her hands that she may pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness, and that the same be paid out of any funds on hand at the time of my death, or as soon thereafter as may be convenient.

Third: I hereby authorize empower and direct my said executrix, as soon after my said Will is filed for probate, as may be convenient, and as soon as the conditions of my said Estate will permit, without loss to said estate, to make sale of all my personal property, and convert the same into lawful money...

Fourth, I give and bequeath, to my wife, Daisy H. Hession, the one half of all moneys that I may

have at time of my death, and the one half of all moneys that may come in to her hands from the sale of the personal property of my Estate (provided always, and it is herein and hereby expressly provided that all expenses of administration, and all my just debts must first be paid ^{out} of any money on hand, or out of proceeds of the sales of any personal property of my said estate, before any legacies or sums of money be paid to any legatee under this Will.) and to my daughter, Nadine Margaut Hession and to my son, Richard Hession and to my son Dennis Hession I give and bequeath the other half of any money that I may have on hands, or that may come in to the hands of my executor from the sale of any personal property of my Estate (after of course the payment of my just debts and the expenses of administration, as above set forth) and in the case of the death of either of said children above mentioned before my death, or after my death and before the said money is distributed to or used by the said children, I order and direct and it is my Will, that the part of said child or the part or the part of said child shall go to the surviving child or children in equal parts;...

Fifth, I order and direct, and it is my will, that my wife, Daisy W. Hession, have all the rents, issues and profits, the use and possession, and the management and contrroll of any lands houses or tenements, and all the income of any lands of any kind of which I may be possessed, or entitled to the possession, and it is my wish that said rents issues and profits of any lands owned by me at the time of my death may go to the said Daisy W. Hession, for use and support and for the use and support of her said minor children above mentioned, and the said property shall be wholly under the contrroll of the said Daisy W. Hession, except as hereinafter mentioned; and she shall not be required to give any accounting for any rents, issues or profits of the said lands and premises, and she shall have all the rents issues and profits of the said lands, for the

support of herself and children, until my said son, Hennis Hession shall have attained the age of twenty-five....

Fifth, I hereby order and direct, and it is my will, that no part of the real property of my estate be disposed of sold mortgaged or incumbered in any manner, until my youngest son, Hennis Hession, (who is now at the time of making this Will about ten months old) shall have attained to the age of twenty-five years, and when the said

Hennis Hession shall have attained to the said age of twenty-five years, the said land and premises is to be disposed of as follows, to wit:-

I give and devise to my said wife, Naisy W. Hession, and to my said daughter, Nadiare Margaret Hession, and to my said son, Richard Hession, and to my said son Hennis Hession, all the real estate that may own at the time of my death, to be divided equally between them, share and share alike, to take effect of course after the said Hennis Hession shall have attained the age of twenty-five:

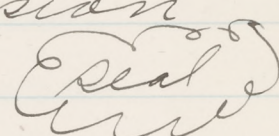
Seventh, It is my Will and so I order it that in case of the death of my said son, Hennis Hession, before he should arrive at the age of twenty-five years, and that in case he should leave no issue, that the said land above mentioned, shall not be sold until the date above mentioned, and in case of the death of either of the devisees above mentioned, the said lands shall go to the other devisees, or to the heirs of the devisees herein mentioned...

Eighth, It is my Will, and I so order that the money of my said Estate that may be on hand at the time of my death, or that may arise from the sale of personal property, as above set forth, that I herein bequeath to my minor heirs, shall be invested for said heirs in some good safe manner, and the same shall be paid to said heirs together with the accrued interest thereon, as soon as they or either of them shall have arrived at lawful age under the laws of this state.... I give and bequeath to my wife Naisy W. Hession, all my house hold furniture, and all the pictures, paintings, and all

household paraphernalia, and the belongings and house-keeping property, and it is my wish that the said household belongings should not be appraised as a part of said estate.....

I hereby nominate and appoint, my wife, Nancy H. Hession, of Big Pine California, the Executrix of this my last Will and Testament and it is my wish and desire, and I hereby direct that my said Executrix shall serve without bonds of any kind, and I hereby revoke all former Wills made by me....

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this Eleventh day of July. A. D. 1903.

Richard P. Hession


The foregoing instrument, consisting of three pages besides this was at the date hereof, by said Richard P. Hession, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Mark I. Waterson Residing at Bishop, Calif.
 Fred A. Smith Residing at Bishop Cal.

Filed Sep. 2nd 1903.

J. G. McConney
 Clerk.

In the name of God, Amen, I Richard P. Hession, of Big Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of Forty-four years and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any kind, nor from any person, but with my mind fully made up, as to the last disposition of my property and without influence of any kind or from or of any person or persons whatsoever, do make publish, and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First, I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my condition and station in life and the circumstances of my Estate,

Second, I direct my executrix, hereinafter named that as soon as she may have sufficient funds in her hands she she may pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness, and that the same be paid out of any funds on hand at the time of my death, or as soon thereafter as may be convenient.

Third, I hereby authorized, empower, and direct my said executrix as soon after my said Will filed for Probate, as may be convenient, and as soon as the condition of my said Estate will permit, without loss to said Estate, to make sale of all my personal property and convert the same into lawful money...

Fourth, I give and bequeath, to my wife Nancy W. Hession, the one half of all moneys that I may have at the time of my death, and the one half of all moneys that may come into her hands from the sale of the personal property of my Estate (provided always, and it is herein and hereby expressly provided that all expenses of administration, and all my just debts must be paid out of any money on hand or out of the proceeds of the sales of any personal property of my said estate, before any legacies or sums of money be paid to any legatee under this Will.) and to my daughter, Madeline Margaret Hession.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California

In the matter of the Estate of
George Hall
Deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will
and the facts found.

State of California
County of Inyo

ss.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge
of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:
That on the 13th day of October 1903, the annexed
Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last
Will and Testament of George Hall, deceased,
and from the proofs taken and the examination had
therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said George Hall died on, or about the 3rd day of
August 1903, in the County of Inyo, State of
California that at the time of his death he was a
resident of the County of Inyo, State of California
that the said annexed Will was duly executed by
the said decedent, in his lifetime, in the County of
Inyo aforesaid, State of California and signed by
the said testator in the presence of J. A. W. Brice
and Mark Q. Matterson the subscribing
witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the
execution of the same in their presence, and
declared the same to be his last Will and Testament,
and the said witnesses attested the same at his
request in his presence and in the presence of
each other; that the said decedent, at the time of
executing said Will, was of the age 67 years
and upwards, was of sound and disposing
mind, and not under duress, menace,
fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect
incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this
certificate, and caused the same to be attested
by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof
this 13th day of October 1903.

Attest

J. Meroney Clerk.

Walter A. Lamar

Judge.

In the name of God Amen, I George Hall of Bishop Inyo County California, of the age of 67 years, and being of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person or persons whatever, do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following that is to say:—
First, I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my condition and station in life, and the circumstances of my Estate, and that my executrix hereinafter named, pay all my funeral expenses, and the expenses of my last sickness out of any of my funds in her hands.

word "and" written
before signing
will

White Smith

Second. I give, devise and bequeath to Margaret Smale of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, on account of and as compensation for her kindness to me and in token of my regard for her, all my property, of every kind and nature, whether real or personal, and this is to include money, notes and all other property that, or of which I may be possessed.

Third. I hereby appoint the said Margaret Smale executrix of this my last Will & Testament, and to serve and act without bonds of any kind and I hereby give her power to sell any or all of said property, or to sell or assign any bonds or notes without order of any Court, and I hereby Revoke all ^{former} Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty-sixth day of August A.D. 1903.

Geo ^{his} Hall
mark

White Smith

Witness to signature of George Hall.

The foregoing instrument consisting of only one page, was at the date hereof, by the said George Hall, signed, and sealed and published as and declared to be his last Will & Testament in presence of us, at his request, and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Bishop Cal.

J. A. Price Residing at
Mark Q. Waterson Residing
at Bishop Cal.

Filed Sep. 3rd 1903.

J. Meroney
Clerk.

In the name of God Amen: I Christian
Sinner being of sound and disposing mind
and memory, and not acting under duress,
menace, fraud or undue influence of any
nor from any person but with my mind fully
made up as to the best disposition of my property
and without influence of any kind or from or
of any person or persons whatsoever do make
publish and declare this my last will and
testament and by this instrument I revoke all
other wills:

- First: I give and bequeath to John Fickman of Big
Pine, Inyo County, California all my money
which I may possess at my death provided
always that all expenses of administration
and my just debts must first be paid out of my
money on hand.
- Second I direct my Executor hereinafter named named
to expend and distribute my money in manner
following that is to say:
- Third. I direct my Executor that my body be decently
buried, and that he may expend the sum of one
hundred Dollars more or less for funeral
expenses.
- Fourth I direct my Executor that he purchase
a white Marble Monument and have the same
erected over my grave in Big Pine Cemetery for
which he may expend the sum of two hundred
Dollars.
- Fifth I direct my Executor to purchase and select an
iron fence to be erected around my grave in
Big Pine Cemetery with some roses planted in-
side near my grave for which my Executor
shall be allowed the sum of one hundred dollars.
- Sixth I give and bequeath to John Fickman of Big
Pine, Inyo County, State of California his heirs
and assigns forever, my house situated
at Alford Inyo County, State of California.

with all my personal property contained therein, also my big wagon standing near my house of said place.

Seventh. I give and bequeath to my ~~minors~~ ^{daughter} Louise Hartshorne of Bishop, Inyo County State of California one dollar.

Eight I give and bequeath to Mrs. M. N. Hale of Alford Inyo Co. State of California the sum of twenty-five Dollars for kind services during my sickness.

Ninth. I give and bequeath to Miss Clara Meyers of Alford Inyo County State of California the sum of twenty-five Dollars.

Tenth All the rest of my money which is left after paying the foregoing I give and bequeath to the Methodist Episcopal Church of Big Pine, Inyo County State of California for a Bell and said money to be paid to Trustees of said church by my ~~Executors~~ when Bell has been purchased.

Eleventh I hereby nominate and appoint John Fiehman of Big Pine Inyo County, State of California Executor of this my will and desire that he shall not be required to give any security for the performance of his duties.

The foregoing instrument consisting of two pages besides this was at the date thereof, by said Christian Sinner, signed and sealed and published as and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto, this nineteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

Christian Sinner
Deaf

Witnesses

E. A. Stout Deaf

C. L. Meyer Deaf

John Fiehman Deaf

Filed Nov. 12th - 1903

J. E. Meroney Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of
Inyo, State of California
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Christian Sinner
Deceased

Certificate of Proof of
Will. C. C. P. Sec. 1308.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior
Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:—

That on the fourth day of ~~December~~ A.D. 1903, the
annexed instrument was admitted to probate, as
the last Will and Testament of Christian Sinner
deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate
of said Will has been reduced to writing and
signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed
herein; and from the proofs taken, and the
examinations had therein, the said Court finds
as follows:—

That Christian Sinner died on the
seventh day of November A.D. 1903, in the said
County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time
of his death was a resident of said Inyo County.
That the said annexed Will was duly executed
by the said decedent in his life-time, in the
County of Inyo, State of California, in the
presence of E. A. Stout, C. D. Meyers, and John Fichman
the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he
acknowledged the execution of the same in
their presence, and declared the same to be his
Last Will and Testament, and the said
witnesses attested the same at his request, in his
presence, and in the presence of each other.

That the said decedent, at the time of executing
said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen
years and upwards, was of sound and
disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue
influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent
misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent
to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate
and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of
this Court under the Seal thereof, this fourth day

of December A. D. 1903.

Walter A. Lamar
 Seal Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest

J. E. Meroney
 Clerk.

Filed December 4 - 1903

J. E. Meroney
 Clerk.

In the name of God, Amen:—I, Thomas W. Hill of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy-three years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatever, do make publish and declare this my Last Will and Testament, in the manner following, that is to say:

First:—I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly:—I direct that my executor hereafter appointed, as soon as he may have sufficient funds in his hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly:—I give and bequeath to Ben H. Gandell of Independence, California, the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

Fourthly:—I give, devise and bequeath to John Walter Lyon of Moosup Valley Post Office, in the State of Rhode Island, all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real, personal or mixed, of whatsoever kind or description, and wheresoever situated.

Fifthly:—I hereby nominate and appoint Ben H. Gandell the executor of this, my last Will and Testament, and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

On Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this eighteenth day of December

in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and two.

Thomas W. Hill (L.S.)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page besides this, was at the date hereof, by the said Thomas W. Hill, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Geo F Willis

Residing at Independence
Inyo County, California.

J. E. Meroney

Residing at Independence
Inyo County, California.

Filed Nov. 10 - 1903.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California. Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Thomas W. Hill
Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will
C.C.P. Sec. 1308.

I, Walter a Lamar Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:—
That on the 19th day of December A.D. 1903, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Thomas W. Hill, deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will, has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:—
That Thomas W. Hill died on the nineteenth day of October A.D. 1903. in the County of Esmeralda State of Nevada, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County, Calif.

That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of Geo. F. Willis and J. E. Meroney the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witness attested the same at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate. In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 19th day of December A.D. 1903.

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of the Superior Court.

Seal
ccc

Attest

J. E. Meroney
Clerk

Filed Dec. 19-1903

J. E. Meroney
Clerk.

Certificate of Proof of Will.

In the Name of God, Amen.

J.H.D.

I John H. Dodge, of Lone Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy-one years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person or persons, whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in the manner following, that is to say:

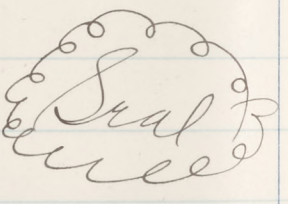
- First: I request and direct that my executors hereinafter named, as soon as they have sufficient funds in their hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.
- Secondly: I give and bequeath two thirds of all the personal property of every name, nature, kind and character whatsoever owned by me at the time of my death to my wife, Charlotte Dodge; and the remaining one third of all said personal property I give and bequeath to my adopted daughter, Malinda Dodge, who is the natural child of Charles W. Stewart and Martha Gerelda Stewart.
- Thirdly: I give and devise to my said adopted daughter Malinda Dodge, all the real property of every kind and character whatsoever owned by me at the time of my death and of which I would and may be entitled to make testamentary disposition under the laws of the State of California, at the time of my death.
- Fourthly: I direct and request that that certain lot and tract of land situated at Lone Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, owned by me, commonly known as the "John Dodge Place" be kept intact and undivided as near as may be, until my said adopted daughter Malinda Dodge, will be of the age of eighteen years.
- Fifthly: By this my last Will and Testament I have not given, bequeathed or devised any part or portion of my property, real or personal, whatsoever, to my sister, Sarah Quinn, who resides at the City of Eldridge, Maine, nor to Martha Gerelda Stewart, wife of Charles W. Stewart, Margaret E. Dodge, Josiah J. Dodge, Norman M. Dodge, Frank H. Dodge and Walter C. A. Dodge, my nieces and nephews, respectively, residing at Lone Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, for the reason that I consider

that each and all of them are sufficiently provided for with this world's goods.

Sixty:

I, hereby nominate and appoint my nephews, Norman M. Dodge and Frank H. Dodge, the executors of this, my last Will and Testament, and I hereby direct and request that said Norman M. Dodge and Frank H. Dodge, be appointed and act as the guardians of the estate of my said adopted daughter, Malinda Dodge until she attain her majority; and that in the event of the death of my said wife, Charlotte Dodge, prior to that time I request that said Norman M. Dodge and Frank H. Dodge or either of them, act as the guardians of the persons as well as of the estate of my said adopted daughter, Malinda Dodge. I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this second day of July, in the year, of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one.

John H. Dodge 

The foregoing instrument consisting of two pages, besides this, at the date hereof, by the said John H. Dodge. Signed, Sealed & Published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

A. M. Given.

Residing at Independence, Cal.

Lewellbert Wilder

Residing at Lone Pine Cal.

Filed Mar. 18th A.D. 1904

J. E. Meroney

Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California. Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
John H. Dodge
Deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will
C. C. P., Dec. 1908.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:—

That on the — day of April A.D. 1904, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of John H. Dodge, deceased; that the testimony taken on the Probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:—

That said John H. Dodge died on the 26th day of February A.D. 1904 in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime, in the said County of Inyo, State of California in the presence of A. M. Given and Lowell B. Wilder the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 2nd day of April A.D. 1904.

Seal

Walter A. Lamar
Judge of Superior Court.

Attest:

J. E. Meroney Clerk

Filed April 3rd 1904

Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California
In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of
Esther Frances Drwin } Proof of Will.
Deceased

In the name of God Amen. I Ester Frances Drwin
of the County of Inyo, State of California, being of ~~sound~~^{the}
age of twenty-one years, and being of sound and dispo-
sition of mind and memory, do make, publish, and declare
this to be my last Will and testament.

1. I revoke all former Wills made by me.
2. I give and devise to my Husband, William Samuel
Drwin, the undivided one-half interest in and to that
certain piece or parcel of Land, situated, lying and
being in the County of Inyo, State of California and
described as follows, to-wit: The North-west quarter
of section eight, in Township seven South, Range
Thirty-three East, M.D.M. together with the heredit-
aments and appurtenances thereunto belonging
or in anywise appertaining, to have and to hold the
said premises ~~as~~ above described, to the said William
Samuel Drwin, and to his heirs and assigns
forever.

3. In case a child shall hereafter be born to me, I give
and bequeath to such child the sum of fifty dollars
and in case more than one Child shall be born to me
I give and bequeath to each of such Children the sum
of fifty dollars.

Lastly. I hereby appoint the said William Samuel
Drwin the sole executor of this my last Will and
testament, and direct that he act without being
required to give bonds.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal this fourth day of February A.D. 1902
Esther Frances Drwin

We the undersigned, hereby certify that we were present
and saw Ester Frances Drwin the testatrix named
in the foregoing Will, sign, seal and execute the same
at the date thereof, and she thereupon declared to us
that said document was her last will and testament,
and requested us to subscribe our names thereto as
Witnesses, and thereupon we, in her presence and in

the presence of each other, then and they subscribe
our names as witnesses to said Will.

Mrs. M. Powers Resident of Inyo County, California.
Robert O'Neal Resident of Inyo County, California.
Enrolled: Last Will and Testament of Esther
Frances Gruin.

Filed Mar. 22nd 1904

J. E. Meroney
Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California. Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Esther Frances Gruin

Deceased

} Certificate of Proof of Will
C. C. P. Sec. 1308.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of the
County of Inyo, do hereby certify: - That on the 11th
day of April A.D. 1904, the annexed instrument was
admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament
of Esther Frances Gruin deceased; that the testimony
taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced
to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively,
and filed herein; and from the proof taken, and
the examinations had therein, the said Court finds
as follows: -

That said Esther Frances Gruin died on the 20th.
day of February, 1904 A.D. 1904 in the County of Inyo
State of California, and at the time of her death was
a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed
Will was duly executed by the said decedent in her life
time, in the said County of Inyo, State of California
in the presence of Robert O'Neal and Mrs. M. Powers
the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also that she acknow-
ledged the execution of the same in their presence, and
declared the same to be her last Will and Testament
and the said witnesses attested the same at her
request in her presence and in the presence of each
other. That the said decedent, at the time of execu-
ting said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen
years and upwards, was of sound and disposing
mind, and not under restraint, undue influence,
menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepres-
entations, or in any respect incompetent to devise

and bequeath her Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 11th. day of April A.D. 1904.

Walter A. Lassar
Judge of the Superior Court
Attest
J. E. Meroney
Clerk.

Filed April 11th. 1904.

J. E. Meroney
Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
California. Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Will & Certificate
J. C. Dravin } of Proof of Will.
Deceased.

In the Name of God, Amen: I, J. C. Dravin of the Town of Independence, County of Inyo, State of California of the age of fifty nine years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person, whatever, do make, publish, and declare this my Last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my body be decently buried side by side with the body of my deceased wife, Luertha Reese Dravin, in the Oak-fellow Cemetery at Independence, County of Inyo, State of California, with proper regard to my station in life, and the circumstances of my estate. And should my body, from any cause be buried elsewhere, I direct that the same be exhumed from its place of interment removed therefrom, and re-interred, side by side, with the body of my said deceased wife, in the Cemetery aforesaid.

Second. I direct that my executor hereinafter named, as soon as he shall have sufficient funds in his hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness, and the expenses of such re-interment, should my body be elsewhere buried.

Third: I further direct that my said executor exhume and remove the body of my deceased daughter Nettie Duoin, from its present place of interment, at El Paso Texas, and re-inter the same, side by side with the body of my deceased wife, in the Odd Fellows Cemetery, aforesaid, and that he place over her grave a Metallic cover, appropriately lettered, of the same kind, quality, quality and design as that placed over the grave of my deceased wife, and pay the cost and expenses thereof out of my estate.

Fourth: I direct that my said executor, in reasonable time after my body and the body of my deceased daughter be laid side by side with the body of my said wife, as aforesaid, procure and place at the head of the grave of my said wife a suitable and appropriate marble monument, with appropriate inscriptions appropriately placed on each of three sides thereof, to the memory of my said wife, my said daughter and myself, at a cost and expense of from six hundred dollars to seven hundred dollars, and pay the cost and expenses thereof out of my estate.

Fifth. I give and bequeath to H. Puthoff, of 727 Belgrade Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, and to his heirs in case of his death, the sum of one thousand dollars: To Mrs Laura Loomis of El Paso Texas and to her heirs in case of her death, I give and bequeath the sum of one thousand dollars: To Laura Latta of El Paso Texas, Daughter of said Mrs. Laura Loomis, I give and bequeath the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars:

To Mrs Annie Webb of El Paso Texas, daughter of said Mrs Laura Loomis, I give and bequeath the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars.

Sixth. To Bert Loomis, Rossi Loomis, and Ralph Loomis, all of El Paso Texas, the sons of Mrs. Laura Loomis, I give, devise and bequeath two thousand shares of the Capital Stock of the Independence Water Company, a corporation formed and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, having for its principal place of business, Independence California, share and share alike.

Seventh. I give and bequeath to Miss Helen Gunn daughter of J. J. Gunn the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, and to Mrs Mary Rooper, wife of J. C. Rooper

of Independence, California the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars.

Eighth. I give, devise and bequeath to Finley M. Dyer of Reward, County of Inyo, State of California, the west half of the south-west quarter of Section Nineteen, Township Fourteen South, of Range Thirty-six East, Mount Diablo Meridian, being the same assessed to me on the assessment roll of the said County of Inyo, for the year 1902.

Ninth. I give, devise and bequeath to Samuel Gumber of Independence, County of Inyo, State of California ~~both the same appear on the plat of the said town of Independence, now on file in the office of the County Recorder~~ Lots 2 and 4 in Block 23 in the town of Independence County of Inyo, State of California, as the same appear on the plat of the said town of Independence, now on file in the office of the County Recorder of the said County of Inyo.

Tenth. I give, devise and bequeath to J. J. Gunn of the said Town of Independence, all the rest and residue of every nature and kind whatsoever, both real and personal of which I may die seized or possessed, subject however, to the devises, bequests, and charges above mentioned and provided.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint the said J. J. Gunn the Executor of this my last Will and Testament, and I direct and request that he be appointed such executor, by the Court, without being required to give any bond or bonds for the performance of his duties as such executor. And I direct that he may lease, demise, let, sell, and otherwise dispose of my said estate, as he may deem best for the interests thereof, without any order of Court so to do: subject, however, to the bequests, devises, and directions hereinbefore contained; And I hereby revoke all Wills heretofore made by me.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 9th. day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

J. C. Drwin. *[Signature]*

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two pages besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said

J.C. Drwin, signed, and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at ~~this~~ request, and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

A.W. Eikeshutz.

Residing at Independence, Inyo Co. Cal.

Max Fausel.

Residing at Independence, Inyo Co. Cal.

Filed March 21st 1903

J.E. McConney Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California
On the Matter of the Estate of
J.C. Drwin
Deceased.

State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.

I Walter A. Lamar, Judge
of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of
California, do hereby certify:-

That on the 13th day of April, 1903, the annexed
was admitted to probate as the last Will & Testament
of J.C. Drwin, deceased; and from the proofs taken
and the examinations had therein, the said Court
finds as follows:-

That J.C. Drwin died ~~on or before~~ about the thirteenth
day of March, 1903, in the County of Inyo, State of
California, and at the time of his death he was a resi-
dent of the County of Inyo, State of California.
That the said annexed Will was duly executed by said
decedent in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo,
State of California in the presence of A.W. Eikeshutz
and Max Fausel, the subscribing witnesses thereto;
also that he acknowledged the execution of the same
in their presence, and declared the same to be
his last will and testament, and the said witnesses
attested the same at his request and in his presence;
that the said decedent, at the time of executing

said will as aforesaid, was over the age of eighteen years, was of sound mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, or in any respects incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the seal thereof, this 13th. day of April A.D. 1903.

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest.

J.E. Meroney

Clerk.

Filed Apr. 13th, 1903

J.E. Meroney

Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California
In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will.
J. Dravin }
Deceased

Je Soussigne Joseph Jullien
et je viens a mourir je donne aux trois enfants de
Marius Jullien deux cent dollars a chacun Leon
Jullien, Jullienne Jullien. Je donne aussi deux cent
dollars a Pierre Gougland, mon petit neveu.
Le restant de ce que je possede en California je le donne
a Marius Jullien mon neveu demurant a Lone Pine
California, Inyo County.

Ainsi sont mes dernieres volantes testamentaires a
lepoque de mon deces.

Je declare pour mon executeur, Jules Jullien de Saur.
Francisco, California. Quand a ce que j'ai en France
je donne tout ce que j'ai aux Blanc a ma soeur
Alexandrine. Si me revient quelque chose de
P. Cristaile je donne mille Francs a chacun de mes
freres et soeur j'ai ecrit et signe de ma main le
present testament olographe.

Lone Pine le. 20 Octobre, 1902.

Joseph Jullien

Filed May 9th, 1904

J.E. Meroney

Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
 State of California.
 In the Matter of the Estate of }
 Joseph Jullien } Certificate of Proof
 Deceased. } of Will.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California, do hereby certify.

That on the 28th day of May, 1904 the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of Joseph Jullien, deceased; That the testimony taken on the probate of said will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the Court finds as follows:—

That Joseph Jullien died on the ninth day of April 1904, in Lone Pine, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County; That the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life time, and said will was entirely written, dated and signed by the testator.

Also, that the handwriting of said Joseph Jullien was familiar to witnesses Edeline Maysack, Julia Harvey and Marius Jullien, and that they and each of them testify that the handwriting in said will is the handwriting of said Joseph Jullien, deceased, and that the signature thereto is his own proper signature.

That the decedent, at the time of his executing said will as aforesaid, was of the age of 18 years and upwards, to-wit, of the age of 80 years, was of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the seal thereof, this 28th day of May, 1904.

Walter A. Lamar
 Judge of the Superior Court

Attest
 E. D. D.
 Clerk

J. E. Meroney

Clerk

Filed May 28. 1904

J. E. Meroney

Clerk

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
 State of California . . . Probate.
 In the Matter of the Estate of }
 L. F. J. Winkler } Certificate of Proof of Will.
 Deceased.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court
 of the said County of Inyo, do hereby certify;

That on the 7th day of May A.D. 1904, the annexed
 instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will
 and Testament of L. F. J. Winkler deceased; that the
 testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been
 reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respec-
 tively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken
 and the examinations had therein, the said Court
 finds as follows:

That said L. F. J. Winkler, died on the 29th day of
 March A.D. 1904 in the City and County of San Francisco
 State of California, and at the time of his death was
 a resident of said Inyo County. That the said
 annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent
 in his life-time, in the said, County of Inyo, State
 of California, in the presence of N. P. Cartier and
 Louis Schabell, the subscribing witnesses thereto.

Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same
 in their presence, and declared the same to be his last
 Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested
 the same at his request, in her presence, and in the
 presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the
 time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age
 of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and
 disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue
 influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent
 misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent
 to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate

and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the seal thereof, this 7th day of May A.D. 1904.

Walter A. Lamm
Judge of the Superior Court

E. D. D.
E. D. D.

Attest:

J. E. Meroney Clerk

Filed May 7th, 1904

J. E. Meroney

Clerk

Last Will and Testament of S. F. J. Winkle

Dated Nov. ---, 1897.

In the Name of God, Amen. I, S. F. J. Winkle of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of fifty years and being of sound and disposing mind and memory and not acting under, duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatever, do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament that is to say.

First. I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly. I direct that my executrix hereinafter named, as soon as she has sufficient funds in her hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly. I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Sarah C. F. Winkle, all my estate, both real and personal, of every nature and kind whatsoever, owned by me at the time of my death.

Fourthly. It is ^{not} my intention to give or bequeath any property whatever, to my children, Herbert L. Winkle, Noah Winkle, George S. Winkle, Elmer Winkle and Columbus Winkle, or to either of them, for the reason that should my said wife survive me, she will make such provisions as she may deem proper and for the best interest of said children, and each of them, if such provisions be necessary; And therefore, I bequeath nothing to my said children or to any of them.

Lastly. I hereby nominate and appoint my said wife

Sarah C. F. Winkle, the Executrix of this my last Will and Testament; and it is hereby expressly provided that no bond or bonds whatsoever be required of her, as such executrix, either before receiving Letters Testamentary, or during the course of Administration of my estate. And I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made by me;

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord our thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

L. F. J. Winkle *Seal*

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said L. F. J. Winkle signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last will and testament, in presence of us who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

A. P. Carter
Residing at Independence.

Louis Schabell
Residing at Camp Independence

Filed Apr. 14th. 1904

J. E. Meroney
Clerk

In the name of God Amen: I John Ludwig Wilhelm Schweger, of the County of Clinton and State of Iowa, of the age of forty-eight years and being of sound mind and memory and sensible of the certainty of death, and of the uncertainty of human life, do make publish, and declare this as and for my last will and testament, that is to say:

First, I direct that all my just debts be paid, including the expense of my last sickness and funeral.

Second, I give devise, and bequeath to my beloved wife, Anna Katrina Schweger, the use during her natural life, of all my property, both personal and real, wherever situated, the same to be in lieu of dowers, with full power and authority to sell and dispose of the same in order to supply her needs, and to enable her to live as becomes her condition in life and at her death.

I give, devise and bequeath the remainder to my children, share and share alike, to be theirs, their executors, administrators and assigns to have and to hold the same forever. And lastly, I hereby nominate and request the court to appoint without bond, my said wife, Executrix of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all former wills by me made.

In Witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 31st. day of July, 1901.

Johann Ludwig Wilhelm Schwyger

The foregoing will was at the date thereof signed, sealed, published and declared by the said John Ludwig Wilhelm Schwyger, do and for his last will and testament, in presence of us, who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Lehas H. Judd residing at Clinton Iowa.
Arnold W. Walliker " " " "

Filed Sept. 17th 1904.

J. E. Meroney Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of
John Ludwig Wilhelm Schwyger
Also called William Schwyger
Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will
& facts found.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California, do hereby certify.

That on the 15th day of October, 1904, the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the Last will and testament of John Ludwig Wilhelm Schwyger, deceased: That the testimony taken on the probate of said will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examination had, the Court finds as follows:—

That John Ludwig Wilhelm Schwyger died on the 26th day of August, 1904, near the town of Big Pine, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a

resident of said Cass County. That the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his life time, at the County of Clinton, State of Iowa, in the presence of Chas. B. Judd and Arnold Walliker, the subscribing witnesses, thence Also that the handwriting of said Johann Ludwig Wilhelm Schweger was familiar to Anna Katrina Schweger, and Carl Kuchling, who were sworn as witnesses, and that they and each of them testify that the signature to said will is in the handwriting of said Johann Ludwig Wilhelm Schweger, and that said signature thence is the proper signature of said Johann Wilhelm Schweger, now deceased.

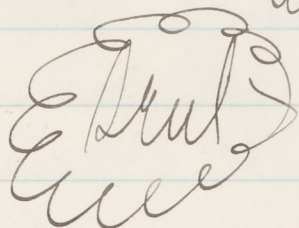
That the decedent, at the time of his executing said will as aforesaid, was of the age of 18 years and upwards, to-wit of the age of 48 years, was of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate. That said deceased was also known and called William Schweger.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of this Court under the seal thereof, this 15th day of October, 1904.

Attest

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of said Superior Court.



J.E. Murney

clerk.

Superior Court, County of Inyo
Department No _____

In the Matter of the Estate of }
John L. Bourland }
Deceased. } Certificate of Proof of Will and
the Facts found.

In the name of God, Amen. I, John L. Bourland, of the County of Inyo, State of California, being of the age of seventy-one years and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament. First: I direct that my body be decently buried, without undue ceremony or ostentation, but with proper regard for my condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Second, I direct that my executrix hereinafter named, as soon as she has sufficient funds in her hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Third, I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Mary U. Bourland, all my estate, real personal or mixed, and wherever situated, of which I may die, seized or possessed.

Lastly, I hereby appoint my said wife, Mary U. Bourland, of the County of Inyo, State of California, the executrix of my said last will and testament, and request that no bond or bonds be required of her in the administration of said estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this nineteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

John L. Bourland {seal}

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page besides this, was, at the date thereof, by the said John L. Bourland, signed and sealed and published as and declared to be his last will and testament, in presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

W. W. Gaudell
residing at Bishop Inyo Co. Cal.

Florence E. Berger
residing at Bishop Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of }
 John L. Bowland } Certificate of Proof of Will
 Deceased } and the Facts found.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
 State of California }
 In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will
 John L. Bowland } and facts found.

State of California }
 County of Inyo } SS.

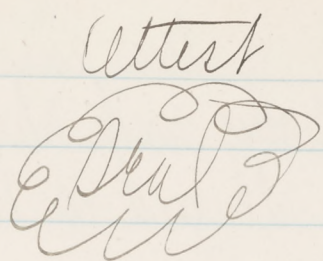
I, Walter A. Lamar Judge of the
 said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 25 day of November 1905, the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of John L. Bowland deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That said John L. Bowland died on ~~the~~ or about the eleventh day of June 1905, in the County of Crawford, State of Arkansas that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California, that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator, in the presence of W. W. Mandell & Flora E. Berger the subscribing witnesses thereto: also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of seventy-one years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereto signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 25 day of November 1905.

Walter A. Lamar
 Judge

Attest


J.E. Meroney
 Clerk

Recorded this 25th day of November 1905, in Book A
 of Wills page 231.

J.E. Meroney
 Recorder.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I Ann Cashbaugh, of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California of the age of sixty years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatever, do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say:

First: I request that my body be decently buried by the side of my beloved husband.

Secondly: I give and devise unto my son James A. Cashbaugh and my daughter Theresa R. Cashbaugh, share and share alike, all my right, title and interest in and to that certain lot of land, now used and known as the family homestead, situate and being in the County of Inyo, State of California and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The south west quarter of the south west quarter of section five {5} four {4}, and the south east quarter of the south east quarter of section five {5} township seven {7} south of range thirty-three {33} East, M.D.M., together with all water, water rights and ditches, and the appurtenances thereto belonging.

Thirdly: I give, bequeath and devise to my son John Cashbaugh, all my right, title and interest in and to those certain lots, or tracts of land situate and being in township eight {8} south of range thirty-two {32} East, M.D.M., in the said County of Inyo, commonly known as the Coyote Valley property, together with the water, water rights and ditches, and the appurtenances thereto belonging; also my largest wagon, and two hundred {200} dollars worth of cattle.

Fourthly: I give and bequeath to my son William A. Cashbaugh one thousand {1000} dollars, worth of horses and cattle.

Fifthly: I give and bequeath to my daughter, Mary Ellen Best wife of George Best, the sum of Two hundred {200} dollars in lawful money of the United States. I give and bequeath my

said daughter, Mary Ellen Best, a less amount and portion of my estate than to any other of my said children for the reason that my said daughter is married and is better provided for than any other of my said children.

Sixthly: I give and bequeath to my daughter Annie Blanch Bashbaugh, Five hundred and fifty { \$550 } dollars worth of cattle; I also the organ, that is if she be so situated as to be able to use and care for the said organ; if she be not so situated, then and in that event I desire that my said daughter Theresa R. Bashbaugh take and have said organ.

Seventhly: I give and bequeath to my daughter Catherine Bashbaugh, the sum of Eight hundred and forty { \$840 } dollars in lawful money of the United States, but in the event that I should not be possessed of said sum of money at the time of my death, I give and bequeath to my said daughter Catherine Bashbaugh, Eight hundred and forty { \$840 } dollars worth of cattle, in lieu thereof, or such number of cattle as may be necessary to make up said sum of Eight hundred and forty { \$840 } dollars.

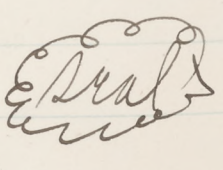
Eighthly: I give and bequeath to my son James A. Bashbaugh and to my daughter Theresa R. Bashbaugh, share and share alike, all my farming implements and machinery, other than said largest wagon.

Ninthly: I give and bequeath to my said children Catherine Bashbaugh, Theresa R. Bashbaugh, John Bashbaugh, James A. Bashbaugh and William A. Bashbaugh, share and share alike, all my household furniture, other than said organ.

Tenthly: I give ~~and~~ bequeath and devise to my daughter Catherine Bashbaugh, all the rest and residue of my estate of every kind and character.

Lastly: I hereby nominate and appoint my sons John Bashbaugh and William Augustus Bashbaugh the executors of this my last Will and Testament, and I devise that no bonds be required, ~~and I devise~~ of them or either of them, and hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 9th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two.

Aunt ^{her} Bashbaugh 
sign

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two pages besides

E. L. Dehy witness to signature of Ann Cashbaugh. I wrote the name of Ann Cashbaugh at her request and in her presence
E. L. Dehy.

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two pages besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Ann Cashbaugh, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be her last Will and Testament, in presence of us, at her request, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

E. L. Dehy

Residing at Laws, Inyo Co. Cal.

Mary J. Hohenthal

Residing at Bishop Inyo County, California.

Filed October 15th 1904!

J. E. McCreary Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of }
Ann Cashbaugh

Certificate of Proof of Will and
the Facts found.

State of California } SS.
in County of Inyo

I, Walter A. Lamar Judge of the said
Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 27th day of November 1905, the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Ann Cashbaugh, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Ann Cashbaugh died on or about the 27th day of November 1904, in the County of Inyo, State of California that at the time of her death she was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in her lifetime in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testatrix in the presence of Mary J. Hohenthal and E. L. Dehy the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that she acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be her last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same

at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will was of the age of sixty years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said Court under the Seal thereof this 27th day of November 1905.

Walter A. Lamar
Judge

Attest

E. Skat
Clerk

J. E. Meroney

Recorded this 27th day of November 1905 in Book A. of Wills
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J. E. Meroney

Recorder

In the name of God Amen!

I, Henry E. Finley of Marse County of Nye State of Nevada of the age of sixty nine years and being of sound and disposing mind and memory and not acting under duress Menace fraud or undue influence of any persons whatsoever do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following that is to say

First I direct that my body be decently buried with best material that the situation can procure.

Second. I direct that my Executors hereinafter named to pay my Funeral expenses.

Third I give and bequeath to my son John L. Finley of Blackfoot Idaho conditionally, an undivided one half ($\frac{1}{2}$) interest in all of my entire interest in certain mining claims, situated in the Funeral Range of Mountains In Echo Mining District in the County of Inyo

State of California, said conditions are that my son John Finley shall come upon the mining claims and assist in their development and remain thereon until said claims are disposed of except in case of urgent business sickness or the acts of God.

A failure upon the part of my son John H. Finley to comply with the foregoing conditions He shall forfeit his right to any interest in said claims. And my Executors are enjoined to apportion the said $(\frac{1}{2})$ one half pro rata to the following named Legatee. But shall from the first unincumbered proceeds from the sale of said mines pay to my son John H. Finley One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars Cash.

Fourthly - I give and bequeath to my Brother John Finley of Denver Colorado $(\frac{3}{5})$ Two fifths of my interest in all of the foregoing described mining claims.

Fifthly. I give and bequeath to Della White of Maunse Nev $(\frac{1}{5})$ One fifth interest in said claims.

Seventhly. I give and bequeath to Sara Lee of Pesting Springs of Calif $(\frac{1}{10})$ One tenth interest in said mining claims.

Eighthly I give and bequeath to Sara Lee of Pesting Springs Calif $(\frac{1}{10})$ One tenth interest in said mining claims.

Be it understood that the title of the foregoing claims is vested in my executor and upon the sale of said claims the foregoing bequeaths shall be apportioned Pro rata.

Ninthly I give and bequeath to my mining partner Richard Lee of Pesting Springs my team and wagon. hereby

Lastly I nominate and appoint Nehemiah Clark of Maunse Nevada. The executor of this will and appoint H. White of Maunse Nevada his assistant.

Both appointed without bonds and either to serve as executors. This my last will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this thirteenth day of November In the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and five

H. E. Finley Seal

The foregoing instrument consisting of three pages including will and Testament signed by Harry E. Finley declared to be his last will and Testament In presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

N. B. Hunter

Mauve, Nevada

Walter Nelson,

Mauve, Nevada.

In the Superior Court
Of the County of Inyo State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof
Harry E. Finley also called } of Will and the
H. E. Finley. Deceased } Facts Found.

State of California, }
County of Inyo. } S.S.

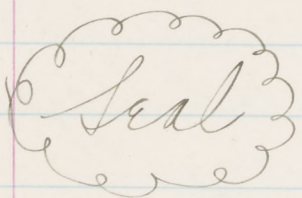
I, Walter A. Lamar Judge of the
said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the fourth day of June 1906,
the annexed Instrument was admitted to
Probate as the last Will and Testament of
Harry E. Finley, also called H. E. Finley, deceased,
and from the proofs taken and the examinations
had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Harry E. Finley, also called
H. E. Finley, died on or about the 20th day of
November 1906, in Mauve County of Nye, State
of Nevada that at the time of his death he
was a resident of the County of Inyo State
of California that the said annexed Will was
suly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime
in Mauve County of Nye aforesaid, State of
Nevada, and signed by the said testator in the
presence of N. B. Hunter and Walter Nelson
the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he
acknowledged the execution of the same in
their presence also declared the same to be his
last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses
attested the same at his request in his presence
and in the presence of each other

that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of 68 years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 4th day of June 1906.



Attest: -

Chatter A. Lamar,
Judge.
J. E. Meroney
Clerk.

Filed June 4, 1906.

J. E. Meroney,
Clerk.

Certificate of Proof of Will and the Facts Found.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, Harry T. Thurnau of Independence, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy-four years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say: -

First, I direct that my body be decently buried, without undue ceremony or ostentation, but with proper regard to my station and conditions in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly, I direct that my executor hereinafter named, as soon as he has sufficient funds in his hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly, I give and bequeath to my nephew Louis Thurnau the sum of Two Thousand Dollars.

Fourthly, I also give and bequeath to my said nephew Louis Thurnau, all my personal estate, goods and chattels, of whatever kind or

nature, owned by me at the time of my death, excepting money, notes, mortgages, credits, and evidences of debt.

Fifthly, I give and devise to my said nephew Louis Thurnau all the real estate of every name and nature whatsoever, owned by me at the time of my death.

Sixthly, I direct that as soon as practicable after my death, that my executor shall convert all notes, mortgages, credits and evidences of debt, of which I may die possessed, into coin or currency of the United States.

Seventhly - I give and bequeath all the residue and remainder of my estate, consisting of coin and the coin or currency to be realized in the manner last set forth, as follows, to-wit:

To my sisters Dora Harkey, Mary Thurnau, Minnie Cehlocking and Caroline Heimanau one ninth part each; to my brothers Louis Thurnau and August Thurnau, one ninth part each; to the children of my deceased brother William Thurnau one ninth part jointly; to the children of my deceased brother George Thurnau, one ninth part jointly and to the children of my deceased brother Fred Thurnau, one ninth part jointly.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint Louis Thurnau, of the said County of Inyo, State of California, the executor of this my last Will and Testament to serve without bond, granting and giving him full power to sell any part of my ^{said} estate without order or authority of any Court, and I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four.

Harry Thurnau (Seal).

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two pages besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Henry Fehrmann signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Geo. L. Wood, —

Residing at Independence, Inyo County, California

J. E. Meroney

Residing at Independence, Inyo County, California.

In The Superior Court.

Of the County of Inyo, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will
Henry Fehrmann } and the Facts Found.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

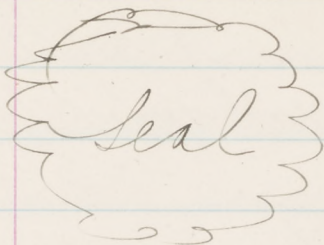
I, Walter A. Lamm, Judge of said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the sixth day of June, 1906, the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the Last Will and Testament of Henry Fehrmann deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Henry Fehrmann died on about the 28 day of March, 1906, in the County of Inyo, State of California, that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo State of California that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of J. E. Meroney and Geo. L. Wood the subscribing witnesses thereto: also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will

was of the age of 74 years and upwards,
was of sound and disposing mind, and not
under duress, menace, fraud or undue
influence, nor in any respect incompetent
to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this
certificate, and caused the same to be
attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the
seal thereof, this sixth day of June 1906.



Attest:

Walter A. Lammot
Judge

J. E. Meroney
Clerk.

Filed June 6th. 1906.

J. E. Meroney,
Clerk.

Big Pine Cal April 23d. 1906.

In the name of God, amen.

I Peter Kiser residing in the town of Big
Pine State of California, being of sound mind
and memory, and considering the uncertainty
of life, do therefore make Ordain, publish
and declare, this to be my last will and
testament.

1st. After all my lawful debts are paid.
I give and bequeath to Upton Tracy \$500.00.
J. N. Tracy \$500. - Mrs. Mary Alice Robinson \$500.00
Ch. H. Whmeyer \$500.00. & W. A. Davison \$200.00

The balance of my estate to be divided
share & share alike to my brothers heirs of
M. Kiser of Red Wing Minn. G. E. Platten,
Green Bay Wis. Nicholas Kiser Fred Brookhardt
Mrs. Henry Wolfson, John Kiser Wis. and hereby
appoint Ch. H. Whmeyer & Upton Tracy executors
with bond.

Peter Kiser.

Witness

W. F. Baker.

H. H. Robinson

In The Superior Court
Of the County of Inyo, State of California.
Probate.

In the Matter of the
Estate of Peter Kiser
Deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will.
C.C.P., Sec. 1304.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:—

That on the 8th day of June A.D. 1906, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Peter Kiser deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:—

That Peter Kiser died on the 23rd day of June A.D. 1906 in, the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of H. H. Robinson and Ch. F. Baker the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other.

That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, ^{and} not under restraint, undue influence, duress, fraud, or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In witness whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof this eighth day of June A.D. 1906.

Seal

Walter A. Lamar.

Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest:

J. E. Meroney, Clerk.

Filed June - 8 - 1906.

J. E. Murney.
Clerk.

Will.

In the Name of God, Amen, I, Albert Halverson, of Big Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of Seventy-four years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person or persons whatsoever, but of my own free will and act, and according to my own wish, do make, publish, and declare, this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:—

First. I direct that my body be decently buried, with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly. I direct that my executrix, hereinafter named, as soon as she shall have sufficient funds in her hands out of my estate, that she pay all my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last sickness, and all my just debts.

Thirdly. I give, devise and bequeath, to my beloved niece, Helen Halverson (who at the date of this will is now residing with me at Big Pine, County of Inyo State of California) all my property owned by me at the time of my death whether the same be real personal or mixed, or of whatever nature, or wherever situated, for her own sole use and benefit, except that she pay all my just debts, funeral expenses, and expenses of my last sickness as above set forth.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint my said niece, Helen Halverson, the Executrix, of this my last Will and Testament, and direct, that it is my will, that she serve without Bonds of any kind, and if for any reason she cannot serve as such executrix, then I

nominate and appoint _____ of _____
of this my Last Will and Testament, and I hereby
revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and seal this the 9th day of August,
One Thousand Nine Hundred and Six.

Albert Halverson (Seal).

The foregoing Instrument, consisting of one page
besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said
Albert Halverson, signed, and sealed and Published,
as, and declared to be, his Last Will and Testament
in the presence of us, who at his request, and
in his presence, and in the presence of each other,
have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

W. H. Whelan

Residing at Big Pine, California.

Margaret Smith.

Residing at Bishop, California.

In the Superior Court
Of the County of Inyo, State of California.
Probate.

In the matter of
the Estate of
Albert Halverson,
Deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will.
C. C. P., Sec. 1304.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the Superior
Court of the said County of Inyo, do hereby certify:
That on the 22nd day of October, A. D. 1906
the annexed instrument was admitted to probate
as the last Will and Testament of Albert
Halverson, deceased; that the testimony taken
on the probate of said Will has been reduced to
writing and signed by the witnesses respectively,
and filed herein, and from the proofs taken,
and the examinations had therein, the said
Court finds as follows:—

That Albert Halverson died on the 18th
day of September, A. D. 1906, in the County of
Inyo, State of California, and at the time
of his death was a resident of said Inyo County.

That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of O.H. Wilmeyer and Margaret Smith the subscribing witnesses thereto.

Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other.

That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentation, or in any respect incompetent to ^{devise and} bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 22nd day of October A.D. 1906.

Walter A. Lamar,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Attest J.E. Meroney,
Clerk.

Filed Oct. 22nd 1906.

J.E. Meroney,
Clerk.

Will.

In The Name of God, Amen, I, Elino Evans, of Round Valley, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of sixty years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person or persons whatever, but of my own free will, and as seems fit to me myself, do make, publish, and declare this my Last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:-

First, I direct that my body be decently buried, with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly, I, direct that my executor hereinafter named, as soon as she shall have sufficient funds in her hands out of my estate, that she pay my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last sickness, and all my just debts & debts.

Thirdly, After the expenses of administration and all my just debts are paid, and the estate is in condition to be settled up, I give, devise and bequeath, to my daughter Mariah Olds, one equal ninth of my said estate, and I give, bequeath and devise to my daughter, Margaret Pauli, one equal ninth of my said estate, and I give, devise and bequeath, to my son, W. Henry Evans, one equal ninth of my said estate, and I give, bequeath and devise to my son Frank O. Evans, three equal ninths of my said estate, and to my daughter Evalena E. Evans, three equal ninths of my said estate, intending hereby that the said Frank O. Evans, and the said Evalena E. Evans, to each have one third & three ninths, of my said estate, and each of the other heirs or devisees herein named to to have one ninth of my said estate, after all just debts, expenses of administration, and expenses of my last sickness and funeral expenses are fully paid satisfied and discharged.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint my daughter Evalena E. Evans, of Round Valley, Cal. the executor of this my last Will and Testament, and to act without bond of any kind, and in case from any cause that she cannot so act, as

my executor, or that she refuses to act, then I nominate and appoint White Smith, of Bishop's Cal., to act as my said executor, and I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the thirteenth day of February, A. D. 1916.

Elinor ^{her} Erans, {seal;
mark.

Louisa Seylor,

White Smith,

Witnesses to Signature of said
Elinor Erans.

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page, besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Elinor Erans (Elinor Erans), signed and sealed, and published as, and declared to be, her last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at her request, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Louisa Seylor,
Residing at
Bishop's Cal.
Fred A. Smith,
Residing at,
Bishop California,

No. _____
Superior Court,
County of Inyo,
Department No. _____
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Elinor Erans.

Deceased,
Certificate of Proof of Will and the facts found,

In the Superior Court
of the

County of Inyo State of California,

In the Matter of the Estate of Certificate of Proof of
Elinor Erans {Will and the facts
found.

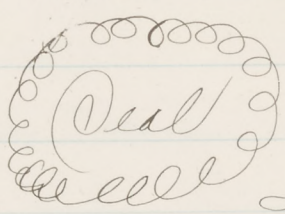
State of California, }
County of Inyo. } ss.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge,
of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 9th day of February 1907, the
annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as
the last Will and Testament of Elvira Evans,
deceased, and from the proofs taken and the
examinations had therein, the said Court finds
as follows:

That said Elvira Evans died on or about
the ____ day of ____ 1906, in Bishop County
of Inyo State of California and that at the time of
her death she was a resident of the County of
Inyo State of California that the said annexed Will
was duly executed by the said deceased, in her
lifetime, in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of
California, and signed by the said testator in the
presence of Fred G. Smith and Louise Peyton the
subscribing witnesses thereto; also that she acknowledged
the execution of the same in their presence, and
declared the same to be her last Will and
Testament, and the said witnesses attested the
same at her request in her presence and in
the presence of each other; that the said deceased,
at the time of executing said Will, was of the
age of sixty-one, years and upwards, was of
sound and disposing mind, and not under
duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor
in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath
her estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this
certificate, and caused the same to be attested
by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof,
this ninth day of February, 1907.



Attest:

Walter A. Lamar,
Judge.

W. L. Hamler,
Clerk.

By C. J. MacFarlane,
Deputy Clerk.

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W. L. Simile.

Clerk.

By C. S. MacFarlane.

Deputy Clerk.

Recorded this 9th day of Feb. 1907.

W. L. Simile.

Clerk.

By C. S. MacFarlane.

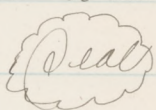
Deputy Clerk.

Last will and Testament of
William A. Davison.

Know all men by these presents that I, William A. Davison of the County of Henry and State of Missouri, being in good health and of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and Testament, and first I commend my immortal being to him who gave it and my body to the earth to the earth to be buried with little expense or ostentation by my Executors hereinafter named. And as to my worldly estate and all the property, real personal or mixed of which I shall die seized and possessed or to which I shall be entitled to at the time of my decease I devise bequeath and dispose thereof in the manner following to-wit: My will is that my just debts and funeral charges by my Executors hereinafter named be first paid out of my personal Estate, as soon after my decease as shall by her be found convenient.

Second I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Anna W. Davison all of the rest, residue and remainder of my Estate, real, personal or mixed of which I shall die seized and possessed, or to which I shall be entitled to at the time of my decease absolutely, to have and to hold to her and to her heirs and assigns forever, It being my intention to make my said wife, my sole heir and Legatee.

Lastly I nominate and appoint my said wife Anna W. Davison to be the Executor of this my last will and Testament. In testimony whereof.

I the said William A. Davison, have to this my
last will and testament subscribed my name and
affixed my seal this the 23^d day of October A.D. 1886.
William A. Davison. 

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the said
William A. Davison as and for his last ^{will and} testament
in the presence of us, who at his request, and in
his presence and in the presence of each other
subscribed our names as witnesses hereto,

Witnesses,

{ Thos. M. Casey.
H. E. Over,
Frederick E. Parage.

1 acre, \$1,000.⁰⁰

horse & buggy & wagon.

house-hold goods, stock of Drugs & office fixtures.

Filed Mar. 27/07.

H. L. Hamler,

Clerk.

C. I. MacFarlane,

Deputy.

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Superior Court,

County of Inyo.

Department No. —

In the Matter of the Estate of
Wm. A. Davison,

Deceased,

Certificate of Proof of Will.

In the Superior Court,

Of the County of Inyo,

State of California.

Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of,

William A. Davison

Deceased,

} Certificate of Proof of Will.

S. Charles A. Lamar Judge of the Superior Court of the

County of Inyo, do hereby certify:-

That on the fifth day of March A. D. 1907, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of William A. Davison deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had thereon, the said Court finds as follows:-

That William A. Davison died on the fifth day of February A. D. 1907, in the County of Inyo State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time, in the County of Henry, State of Missouri in the presence of Thos. M. Casey and O. E. Owen, and Frederick E. Savage, the subscribing witnesses thereto, also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentation, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this fifth day of March, A. D. 1907.

Walter A. Lamar,

Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest: H. L. Hunter,

Clerk.

By C. I. MacFarlane,

Deputy.

Filed Mar. 5th 1907.

H. L. Hunter. Clerk.

By

C. I. MacFarlane.

Deputy Clerk.

Will.

In the name of God, Amen, I John R. Turner of the Town of Lonepine, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy-four (74) years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish, and declare this my last will and Testament in manner following, that is to say:

First, I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my life.

Secondly, I direct that my executor hereinafter named, as soon as he has sufficient funds in his hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly, I give and bequeath to Charles H. Reed of the Town of Free Town, State of Massachusetts, (\$500⁰⁰/₁₀₀) Five hundred Dollars.

Fourthly, I give and bequeath to Carman Olivas of the Town of Lonepine, County of Inyo, State of California, Five hundred Dollars (\$500⁰⁰/₁₀₀).

Fifthly, I give and bequeath to June Spear of the Town of Lonepine, County of Inyo, State of California Five hundred Dollars (\$500⁰⁰/₁₀₀).

Sixthly, I give and bequeath all the rest, residue, and remainder of my personal estate of whatever kind or nature, owned by me at the time of my death, to my brother Robert Turner, and my sister Mary Ann Turner Jenery of the town of Poole Dorsetshire, England. To be divided equally between them, share and share alike, but if dead, then to go to their offspring in like manner.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint R. C. Spear of the Town of Lonepine, County of Inyo, State of California

therepeutor of this, my last Will and Testament,
and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal this 16th day of January, in the year of
our Lord one Thousand Nine hundred and seven.

John R. Turner

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two pages,
besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the
said John R. Turner, signed and sealed and
published as, and declared to be, his last Will
and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at
his request, and in his presence, and in the
presence of each other, have subscribed our names
as witnesses thereto.

Edwin H. Edwards
of the Town of Lone Pine, Inyo Co. Calif.

Thomas Pigott
of the Town of Lone Pine, Inyo County - California.
Filed April 15, 1907.

W. L. Hunter

Clerk.

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Recorded M. B. _____ Page _____

Superior Court,

County of Inyo.

Department No. _____

In the Matter of the Estate of
John R. Turner

Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will.

In the Superior Court
Of the County of Inyo.

State of California. Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate
of John R. Turner
Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of
Will.

I, Walter A. Lamar Judge of the Superior Court

of the County of Inyo, do hereby certify:—

That on the — day of May, A. D. 1907, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of John R. Turner deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein the said Court finds as follows:—

That John R. Turner died on the Twelfth day of April A. D. 1907, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of Thomas Pigott and Edwin H. Edwards.

The subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof. This sixth day of May A. D. 1907.

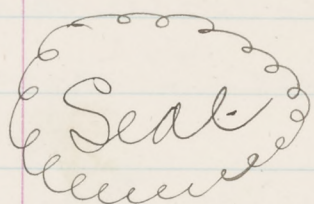
Matter A. Lamar
Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest:

H. L. Hunter — Clerk.

Filed May 6th 1907.

H. L. Hunter — Clerk.



Will.

In the name of God, Amen, I Pierre Joseph Giraud, of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of thirty-one years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First.

I direct that my body be decently buried and the place of my burial suitably marked, with proper regard to my condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly.

I direct that my executor hereinafter named as soon as he has sufficient funds in his hands, pay my funeral expenses, and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly.

I give and bequeath to Annie Spratt, of Tinnemaha, Inyo County, California, the sum of One Hundred Dollars.

Fourthly.

I give, devise and bequeath to my children, Paul Jules Giraud, residing at Tinnemaha Inyo County, California, and France Clorisse Giraud, residing at Tinnemaha, Inyo County, California, all the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, of every name and nature, real, personal or mixed, and wheresoever situated, owned by me at the time of my death, to be divided between Paul Jules Giraud and France Clorisse Giraud, share and share alike.

I hereby nominate and appoint Mark L. Watkinson, of Bishop, Inyo County, California, the executor of this my last Will and Testament, and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my

Hand and seal this twenty ninth day of
December, A.D. 1905.

Pierre Joseph Giraud Seal

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page
beside this, was, at the date hereof, by the
said Pierre Joseph Giraud, signed and sealed,
and published as and declared to be his last
Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at
his request, and in his presence, and in the
presence of each other, have subscribed our
names as witnesses thereto.

Ben H. Yandell
residing at Independence, California

Geo. W. Naylor.
residing at Independence, California.

Filed May 3rd 1907.

W. L. Hunter.

Clerk.

No.-----

Superior Court,
County of Inyo.
Department No.-----
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Pierre Joseph Giraud.

Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will and the
Facts Found.

In the Superior Court of the
County of Inyo, State of California.
In the Matter of the Estate
of Pierre Joseph Giraud }
Deceased } Certificate of Proof of Will
and the Facts Found.
State of California }
County of Inyo } ss.
L. J. D. Murphy, Presiding Judge

of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 3rd day of June, 1907, an annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Pierre Joseph Giraud deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

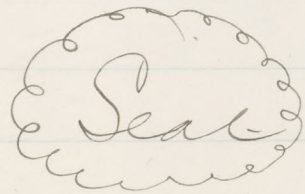
That said Pierre Joseph Giraud died on or about the first day of May 1907, in the County of Inyo State of California that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of George W. Naylor & Ben H. Yandell the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of thirty one years and upwards - was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 3rd day of June 1907.

J. D. Murphy, Judge
Presiding

Attest

W. L. Hunter --- Clerk.



Filed June 3rd 1907.

W. L. Hunter
Clerk.

Last Will and Testament of
Agnes R. Love.

Bishop, Inyo Co. Cal.
March 8th 1907.

This is the last will and wishes of Miss Agnes R. Love, as to the division and settlement of the property left by her.

I that the Cattle should go to Wintweth R. Ford that the Bee or apiary should be sold and the proceeds of said sale be added to the moneys in Hibernian Bank S. F. That Mrs R. W. Ford her sister shall have \$1000.00 (one thousand dollars) of this money. The balance to be divided share and share alike between the following

Wintweth R. Ford,

Agnes J. Ford,

Annette W. Leete.

That this property includes the Mortgage held by me on the real estate of Andrew Van Fleet and wife, situated on the east side of Owens River near Poleta and shall be divided equally between the three Wintweth R. Ford, Agnes J. Ford, and Annette W. Leete.

And all remaining relatives are hereby given (one dollar) \$1.00 each.

Agnes R. Love x

(her mark)

Agnes J. Ford witness to name and mark of Agnes R. Love to this will.

Chas E. Dorrance } Witnesses,
Carrie McLeod }

This paper drawn up by B. M. Leete March 18th 1907, and witnessed by him, B. M. Leete.

Filed March 27th, A.D., 1907.

W. L. Hunter,

Clerk.

In the Superior Court,
of the County of Inyo,
State of California,
Probate,

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this
Certificate and caused the same to be attested
by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof
This 7th day of May A.D. 1907.

Walter A Lamar
Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest:

W. L. Hunter,
Clerk.

Filed May 7th 1907.

W. L. Hunter,
Clerk.

In The Name of God, Amen

I, Lawrence McKay Bethune, of the town of Tonopah, County of Nye, State of Nevada, of the age of seventy-two years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or under the influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say:

First, I give and devise to Arthur C. Holt, his heirs and assigns, all of that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Glen Derry, Province of Ontario, Dominion of Canada, the same being ground in the ancient town of Alexandria, and being a portion of the land granted by the British Government to the United Empire Loyalists. Said property having been conveyed to me by deed.

A further and more particular description is as follows, to-wit: Said land is situate on the banks of the St. Lawrence River, and lies between the lands of Wm. C. Ross and Alexander Ross, and runs from the bank of said River to the first concession of the Township of Charlottenburg.

Secondly: I further give and devise unto the said Arthur C. Holt, his heirs and assigns the following lots, pieces or parcels of land, to-wit: Lots One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Six, Seven, Eight, Nine, Ten, Eleven and Twelve: Said lots are lying and being in the City of Cornwall, County of Stormont, according to the original plat filed in the City of Toronto.

Thirdly: I give and devise all the real, residue and remainder of any real estate, of every name and nature, whatsoever, owned by me at the time of my death, to the said Arthur C. Holt, his heirs and assigns. Together with all the real estate heretofore devised to the said Arthur C. Holt, his heirs and assigns, all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in anywise appertaining: To have and to hold the premises above described, to the said Arthur C. Holt, his heirs and assigns forever.

Fourthly: I give and bequeath to Mrs. Kate Bishop, of the City of Oakland, State of California, the sum of \$1.00 One Dollar; and to George A. Bethune, the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar; and to John A. Bethune, the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar; and to Eugene Bethune, the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar; and to Hugh Bethune, the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar, and to Harry Bethune the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar; which said several legacies or sums of I direct and order to be paid to the said respective legatees, out of the proceeds of the sale of the personal property owned by me at the time of my death.

Lastly: I hereby nominate and appoint A. Smith and J. W. Briggs, both of the town of Tonopah, County of Nye, State of Nevada, the executors of this, my last Will and Testament, and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

Lawrence Mc Kay Bethune (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of (2) pages besides this, was at the date hereof, by the said Lawrence Mc Kay Bethune, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in presence of us who at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed

our names as witnesses thereto.

C. L. Richards

Residing at Tonopah, Nye County,
Nevada.

In the Superior Court of the State
of California,
Grand for the County of Inyo.

In the Matter of the
Estate of
Lawrence Mc Kay Bethune
Deceased

Certificate of proof of
Will and the facts found.

State of California
County of Inyo 188.

I, Walter A. Lammie, Judge
of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on
the 5th day of January, 1907, the annexed
instrument consisting of a copy of the last
will and testament of the above deceased,
was admitted to probate in this Court as
the last will and testament of Lawrence
Mc Kay Bethune, deceased: it having
appeared to this Court from the Certified copies
of record of probate of said will on file herein,
that said copy of said will is entitled to be and
the same same was admitted to probate
in this State in accordance with the law
and statutes of this State pertaining and in
relation to the probating of foreign wills: and
from the proofs taken and the examination
had herein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Lawrence Mc Kay Bethune,
died on or about the 1st day of August, 1905,
in the County of Inyo, State of California,
being at the time of his death a resident
of Tonopah, Nye County, State of Nevada,
but left estate in said County of Inyo, State
of California: that said last will and testament
was duly executed by said decedent in his
life time: and the same was proved

and admitted to probate in accordance with said certified copies record of probate said was on file herein.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 5th day of January 1907.
 Walter D. Kaman,
 Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest:

(Sw) By W. L. Hunter
 Clerk.

Filed Dec. 15th 1906

J. E. Mearney
 Clerk.

In the name of God, Amen, I Jacob Klein of Carson City, Ormsby County, State of Nevada, being of sound mind and memory and over the age of eighteen years do make publish and declare this my last will and testament that is to say:

First - I give devise and bequeath to my executors hereinafter named all and singular my property real and personal wheresoever situated and all moneys belonging to me which I may die possessed in trust nevertheless for the following uses and purposes, to-wit:

Second - I direct my executors to pay all my lawful debts out of the money belonging to my estate which may come into their hands.

Third - I direct my said executors to sell all and singular the estate and property belonging to me which may come into their hands as soon after my death as in their judgment may be for the best interest of my

estate, and convert the same into cash:

And I direct my executors to invest such proceeds of sale, with all money that may come into their hands, and keep the same invested in some safe manner, as in their judgment may seem best for the benefit of my three children Joseph, Clotilda and Isabella Klein, the same to be divided among them equally share and share alike.

Third. — I direct my said executors to pay to each of my said children out of the money belonging to my estate the sum of fifty dollars per month for their maintenance and support until they shall arrive respectively at the age of twenty eight years.

Except in case of sickness either of them when my said executors are authorized and directed to pay out such additional sum of money for necessary and proper care and medical attendance as my said executors may deem just and reasonable.

Fourth — In the event of the death of either of my said children above named — then I leave and bequeath the portion of my said estate to which such child would be entitled to his or her issue lawfully begotten: or if either of them should die without lawful issue then I direct that such portion be held by my said executors for the benefit of the survivor or survivors of my said children above named or surviving issue lawfully begotten.

Fifth — I direct that my said executors hold in trust for my said children all money or other property belonging to my said estate which may come into their hands and to give and pay over to my said children hereinbefore named, or to his or her legal and duly authorized representative as soon as each shall respectively attain the age of twenty eight years — the portion of my said estate to which he or she may be respectively entitled to receive hereunder.

Sixth - I make and appoint my friends Thomas J. Edwards and Jacob Weber, Jr. both now of Carson City Ormsby County, State of Nevada, the executors of this my last will and testament.

Seventh - I hereby revoke and annul all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal at Carson City Nevada this thirty first day of March in the year four thousand eight hundred and ninety.

Jacob Klein (Seal)

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said Jacob Klein in our presence and acknowledged by him to each of us, and he at the same time published and declared the same to be subscribed to be his last will and testament; and we at the testator's request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have signed our names as witnesses.

Witnesses

John D. Fox

Residence Carson City Nevada.

James R. Judge

Residence Carson City Nevada.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
In and for the County of Inyo.

In the Matter of the Estate

Jacob Klein

Deceased

Certificate of Proof of
Will, and the facts
found.

State of California,
County of Inyo. ss

I, Walter A. Lamar, judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on the 11th day of February, 1904, the annexed instrument consisting of a copy of the last

will and testament of the above deceased, was admitted to probate in this Court as the last will and testament of Jacob Klein, deceased; it having appeared to this Court from the "Certified copy of Probate from Nevada" of said will on file herein, that said copy of said will is entitled to be and the same was admitted to probate in this state in accordance with the law and statutes of this state pertaining and in relation to the probating of foreign wills; and from the proofs taken and the examinations had herein, the said Court finds as follows;

That said Jacob Klein, died on or about the 5th day of February, 1899, in the County of Ormsby, State of Nevada, and at the time of his death a resident thereof, but left estate in said County of Inyo, State of California; that said last will and testament was duly executed by said decedent in his life time, and the same was proved and admitted to probate in accordance with said "Certified copy of Probate from Nevada" of said will on file herein.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 11th day of February, 1907

Walter A. Lamar,
Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest;
(Sub) By W. L. Hunter,
Clerk.

Filed Feb'y 11, A.D. 1907.

W. L. Hunter,
Clerk.

I, Charles B. White, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills heretofore by me at any time made.

First, I will direct that my executors and trustees hereinafter named, shall, out of my estate, pay all my debts and funeral expenses.

Second, I will and direct that my executors and trustees shall pay, or cause to be paid, to my wife all the income arising from all my property, real, personal and mixed, for and during her life, the said income to be used by her in supporting herself and our children.

Third, I devise and bequeath to and unto Francis D. White, Robert B. Easton and Timothy Davenport as Trustees, all the property real, personal and mixed that I may die possessed of or be entitled to, either at law or in equity, in and upon the following trusts, to wit:

1. That they, my said Trustees, shall faithfully and carefully guard my estate against loss or diminution in value so far as it may lie in their power to do so, and shall collect all monies or debts that may be due to me at the time of my death and invest the same in the most reliable securities.

2. That after the payment of all necessary expenses in the performance of these trusts, my said Trustees shall pay over unto my wife the income from all my property as directed in "Paragraph Second" of this will.

The said payments to be made at least once in every three months, or at such times as my wife may request: And I will and direct that my said Trustees shall continue to pay such income to my wife during her life, but they shall have no voice in the disposition she may make of the same.

3. That after the death of my said wife and after the youngest child shall have reached twenty one years of age. I will and direct my said Trustees, or the survivor of them. to convey to my children who may at that time be living and the heirs of such as may be dead, all of my real estate, the same to be equally divided between all of my children if living and in the event of the death of any of them leaving children then such children shall have the share their parent would have if living.

4. That upon the youngest of my children reaching twenty-one years of age and upon the death of my wife, I direct that my said Trustees shall distribute all of my personal property among my children then living according to the laws of Connecticut in force at the time of the date hereof in regard to intestate property.

5. I hereby empower my said Trustees to sell and convey all or any portion of my real estate situated in the State of California, when in their judgment and discretion a sale of the same may be advantageous to my estate, but before such sale and conveyance, they shall have the written consent of my wife to the same, if she be living at the time.

6. That my Trustees shall keep all my personal property invested in the best and most reliable securities during the performance of these trusts.

7. I hereby request my wife to turn over to my Trustees and executors all sums that may be paid to her on account of any insurance on my life now, in existence or that may hereafter be. the same upon coming into the hands of my said Trustees shall out of this portion of my personal property pay over unto my wife, if she be living, or in event of her death, to their guardian such sums of money as may be necessary for the proper education of my children.

8. I further direct and desire my said

Trustees, that, when in the exercise of their sound judgment, they are of opinion that the interests of any of my children or of my wife require that a portion of the principal of my estate shall be devoted to their use, they shall so use and expend such portion of the principal of my estate, as they deem necessary for such object.

I hereby appoint and constitute Francis V. White Robert J. B. Easton and Timothy Davenport to be my trustees and executors of this my last will and testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other as my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this 28th day of May, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eighty one.

Charles B. White

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Charles B. White, the above named testator, as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Charles W. Dayton () Mrs. Phoebe Brown ()
William B. Gilbert ()

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
In and for the County of Sny.

In the Matter of the Estate
of
Charles B. White.

Certificate of Proof of
Will and the facts
found.

Deceased.

State of California, /ss
County of Sny.

J. Walter A. Lamar, Judge.

That said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on the 10th day of August, 1907, the annexed instrument consisting of a copy of the last will and testament of the above deceased, was admitted to probate in this Court as the last will and testament of Charles B. White, deceased; it having appeared to this Court from the exemplified copy, record of probate of said will on file herein, that said copy of said will is entitled to be and the same was admitted to probate in this State in accordance with the law and statutes of this State pertaining and in relation to the probating of foreign wills; and from the proofs taken and the examinations had herein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Charles B. White, died on or about the 10th day of August, 1881, at Wilton, in the District of Norwalk, State of Connecticut, and at the time of his death was a resident thereof, but left estate in the County of Sango, State of California; that said last will and testament was duly executed by said decedent in his life time, and the same was proved and admitted to probate in accordance with said exemplified copy of record of probate on file herein.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 10th day of August, 1907.

Walter A. Lamar,
Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest-

Resd) By W. L. Hunter
Clerk.

Filed July 19 - 1907

W. L. Hunter -
Clerk.

Last Will Testament.

I, Bruce J. Stevens, of the City of Madison, County of Dane and State of Wisconsin, Lawyer, of sound and disposing mind, memory and will, do make, publish and declare this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills and codicils thereto by me made,

After the payment of my just debts, I give, devise and bequeath in fee simple absolute to my wife, Mary Elizabeth Farmer Stevens, her heirs and assigns forever, all and so much of the homestead property by me now occupied, consisting of the Southeast half of lots one (1) and two (2) and all of lots nine (9) and ten (10) in block eighty (80) in the said City of Madison, with the buildings thereon, which shall be in use as such homestead at the time of my death, and all house and barn furniture and personal property of every kind and description which shall be in use therein in connection therewith and be by me owned at such time.

And I do hereby express it as my wish that in case my wife shall feel compelled or shall elect to sell the said homestead or any part thereof or the whole or any part of the furniture or personal property of the said she shall give to my daughters Amelia Emma Fuller Stevens and Helen Elizabeth Bruce Stevens, and to either of them if both shall not elect to avail themselves of it, a first right of purchase thereof at any price satisfactory to herself irrespective of its true value, making, however, no preference so far as may be as between the children, and in case my wife may not sell or dispose of the same, I will be pleased if in contemplation of death she will dispose of the same by will to my said children in equal parts share and share alike, provided only that in the opinion of my wife it shall then be wise and right so to do.

And in the apportionment of my estate I desire that my daughters shall receive shares which shall be equal one with the other as nearly as may be, and to that end desire to charge, as an advancement, the share to be set apart to my daughter Amelia with the sum of eight thousand dollars, being the two-thirds part of my note for twelve thousand dollars which she now holds. Her dear mother, my first wife, Emma Fuller Stevens, received from her father an advancement of two thousand seven hundred and seventeen dollars and sixty-nine cents (\$2717.69) which was used by me towards the purchase of the homestead I now occupy, such sum representing about one third of its actual cost to me although less than one-third of its purchase price paid. Title was taken in its name of my wife, which by her death passed to my daughter Amelia, by whom on reaching her majority it was released to me for the note mentioned. I do not question my daughter's right to the payment of this note in full, but desire that she may take a correspondingly smaller share having already received this from me indirectly.

And I do will that my said daughter Amelia shall have the privilege of taking to apply as a payment upon the share of my estate to be set apart to her, so much of my interest real and personal in what is commonly known as the "Picnic Point Farm" property, if any, as she shall elect to take at its value at the time of my death, such value to be ascertained in such manner as the executors of this my will shall deem best designed thereto.

And whereas in or about the month of May, 1900, I purchased certain claims, some of them in the form of notes and judgments against my nephew Holmes B. Stevens of Rochester, New York, aggregating at their face a large sum, but for all of which I paid

only the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00) and which claims it was my intention to cancel and surrender to him when they could no longer be used to protect him from other creditors. I now will and direct that the executors of this my will shall destroy, cancel, surrender or make such other disposition of said claims as shall best serve the interests and proper wishes of my said nephew: a full statement of such claims to be obtained from my books.

Subject to the provisions and qualifications of said, do give devise, bequest in fee simple absolute to my wife, Mary Elizabeth Farmer Stevens, and my daughters Amelia Emma Fuller Stevens and Helen Elizabeth Bruce Stevens, as tenants in common, share and share alike, and to their respective heirs and assigns forever, all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and nature and wheresoever situate. And if either of my daughters shall die before my death, leaving a surviving child or children the parent of such surviving child or children although deceased, shall herein be considered as surviving me and the share going to such parent shall be given to such surviving child or children.

I hereby nominate and appoint my wife, Mary Elizabeth Farmer Stevens, and my daughter Amelia Emma Fuller Stevens, the executors of this my last will and testament, and direct that as such executors they be not required to give bonds other than such as may be by law imperatively required.

In Witness Whereof, I, Bruce J. Stevens, to this my last will and testament, consisting with this and the succeeding page, of four typewritten pages, have subscribed my name and set my seal at Madison, Wisconsin, this thirteenth day of March, A.D. 1902.

Bruce J. Stevens (Seal)

The foregoing instrument, consisting, with this and the succeeding page, of four typewritten pages, was subscribed by Bruce J. Stevens, to us well known to be the person therein described, in our presence and in the presence of each of us, and was then and there by him declared to be his last will and testament, and at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each of us, the undersigned, residing as hereinafter stated, have hereunto set our respective names as subscribing witnesses thereto, this the day and year above written, to-wit, the thirteenth day of March, A.D. 1902.

Edward M. Fuller Residing at Madison, Wisconsin.
 Henry Messenich Residing at Madison, Wisconsin.
 Etta C. Davis Residing at Madison, Wisconsin.

In the Superior Court of the State of California.
 In and for the County of Inyo

In the Matter of the Estate Certificate of Proof of
 of Will and the facts
 Bruce J. Stevens, found.
 Deceased

State of California,
 County of Inyo 185.

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on the 10th day of August, 1904, the annexed instrument consisting of a copy of the last will and testament of above deceased, was admitted to probate in this Court as the last will and testament of Bruce J. Stevens, Deceased; it having appeared to this Court from the "Certified Transcript of Last Will and Testament & Codicil thereto attached, certificate of probate and Letters Testamentary", on file herein that said copy of said will and codicil is entitled to be and the same was admitted to probate in this State in accordance with the law and

statutes of this State pertaining and in relation to the probating of foreign wills; and from the proofs taken and the examinations had herein, the said Court finds as follows.

That said Bruce J. Stevens, died upon the 1st day of December 1903, at Madison, Dane County, State of Wisconsin, and at the time of his death was a resident thereof, but left estate in the County of Inyo, State of California; that said last will and testament and codicil, were duly executed by said decedent in his life time, and the same were proved and admitted to probate in accordance with said "Certified Transcript of Last Will and Testament & Codicil thereto attached, certificate of probate and Letters Testamentary", on file herein.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 10th day of August, 1904
 Watertown, Kansas,

Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest:

(Seal) By W. L. Hunter,
 Clerk.

Filed July 19, 1904

W. L. Hunter

Clerk.

Certificate of Probate of Will.

Keller, Inyo County, California
November 29th, 1904.

I, James Alexander McKenzie hereby make my last Will, I give all the property of which I did possess to my wife Mary Seaman McKenzie.

I appoint my wife Executrix of this Will, without bonds, I give her power to sell all or any of my estate without an order of Court, and I revoke all the wills by me heretofore made I declare that this Will is entirely written by my hand.

James Alexander McKenzie.

Filed Jan 1st 1908.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate
of James Alexander McKenzie,
Deceased.

State of California } ss
County of Inyo }

D. Walter A. Lamar judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California, do hereby certify:

That on the first day of February, 1908, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of James Alexander McKenzie, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had herein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That James Alexander McKenzie died on or about the 3rd day of December, 1904, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California and at the time of his death was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California, and left estate therein, and within the jurisdiction of this Court:-

That said annexed will was duly executed by said decedent in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and is entirely

written, dated, and signed by the hand of the testator, the said James Alexander McKingie; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said will as aforesaid, was over the age of eighteen years, was of sound mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or under influence, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the seal thereof, this 1st day of February A.D. 1908.

(Seal)

Walter A. Lamar,
Judge of said Superior Court,
Attest: W. L. Hunter
Clerk.

Filed Feb. 1, 1908,
W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Leander Gase
deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will.

In the Name of God. Amen. I, Leander Gase, of the County of Inyo, state of California, of the age of sixty-seven years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly. I direct that my executors hereinafter named, as soon as they have sufficient funds in their hands, pay my funeral expenses, and the expenses of my last sickness, and all my just debts and liabilities.

Thirdly. I give and bequeath to the trustees of the Bishop's highschool, the sum of one hundred Dollars, for the special and specific

purpose of purchasing for the exclusive use and benefit of said highschool a terrestrial Globe and Planetarium. Provided however that in the case the trustees of said Highschool shall have purchased for the use of said high-school a terrestrial Globe and Planetarium before my death, then and in that case said trustees may use said sum of one hundred Dollars for the purchase of any other appliances that in their judgement would be for the benefit, and the promotion of the best interest of said school. I also give to said high-school one Calendar Clock, and one Microscope, both of which are now in my possession. Provided further however, that in case at the time of my death there shall be no high-school existing within the boundaries of the present high-school district, then and in that case, the one hundred Dollars so given and bequeathed, shall be added to the residue of my estate, and go to the residuary legatee hereinafter named.

Fourthly. I give and bequeath to the Methodist Episcopal Church of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, all my Books of whatever kind, also my silver Christmas Cup.

Fifth. I give and bequeath to Margaret Elizabeth Watterson, my Iron Bedstead.

Sixth. I give and bequeath to Emily Watterson, my Silver Pitcher and Plate.

Seventh. I give and bequeath to Elenor Watterson my Monogram desert Spoon.

Eighth. I give and devise all the rest residue and remainder of my estate both real and personal, wherever situated, and of whatever kind, to the American Bible society, with the special instruction that the proceeds therefrom after the expense of administration, and all other legitimate expenses, be used by the said American Bible society for the purchase of Bibles to be distributed among the inhabitants of the Islands of Cuba and Puerto Rico, it being my earnest desire that the means of obtaining

a knowledge of the religion of the Lord Jesus Christ, he disseminated among the inhabitants of those Islands. I request that my executors hereinafter named, dispose of my horse "Fiddle", to some humane person, that he may be kindly treated during the remainder of his life.

I direct and order that my body be buried in what is known as the Pioneer cemetery, near the town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, and that said executors be limited to the sum of one hundred dollars in the improvements of my grave.

Lastly. I hereby nominate and appoint George Watterson, William Yancy and Mark Q. Watterson, all of the Town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, the executors of this my last Will and Testament, and hereby revoke all former Wills made by me.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 10th day of May, 1902.

Leander Case. (Seal)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two pages besides this, was, at the date thereof by the said Leander Case, signed and sealed and published as and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Fred H. Bulpitt

Residing at Bishop, County of Inyo
State of California.

W. G. McQuosby

Residing at Bishop, County of Inyo,
State of California

In the Superior Court
of the County of Inyo, State of California.
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of }
of Leander Case, deceased } Certificate of proof of Will

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of Superior Court of the
County of Inyo, do hereby certify:—

That on the 3rd Day of March A.D. 1908, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of Leander Case deceased: that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the Witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examination had therein the said Court finds as follows:--

That said Leander Case died on the 22nd day of January A.D. 1907, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time; in the said County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of Fred St. Bulpitt and W. G. McGrooby the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in the presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound mind and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress, or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respects incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof, this 3rd day of March, A.D. 1908.

Walter A. Lamar

Judge of the Superior Court.

(Seal)

Attest: W. L. Hunter

Clerk.

Filed March 3, 1908.

W. L. Hunter

Clerk.

Certificate of Proof of Will and the facts found.

I, James R. Moffett, of Lone Pine, Inyo County, California, do publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills and testamentary papers at any time heretofore made by me. I devise and bequeath all the estate and effects whatsoever and wheresoever, both real and personal, to which I may be entitled, or which I may have power to dispose of, at my decease, unto my dear wife Laura Foster Moffett, absolutely; and I nominate and appoint her sole executrix of this my last will and testament, and I direct that she be exempt from giving any bond or bonds as such executrix. And I hereby authorize and empower her to sell and dispose of any or all of my property, real or personal, at public or private sale, at such times, and upon such terms, and in such manner as to her shall seem meet and proper, and without the previous order of any Court so to do.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 6th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

James R. Moffett (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of this page, was, at the date thereof, by the said James R. Moffett, signed, sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Henry Rhine, residing at Independence, Inyo Co. Cal.
John W. P. Laird, residing at Independence, Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court
of the
County of Inyo, State of California

In the matter of the }
 Estate of }
 James R. Moffett }
 Deceased } Certificate of Proof of Will
 and the facts found

State of California } ss
 County of Inyo }

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 14th day of March 1908 the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of James R. Moffett deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the Court finds as follows:

That said James R. Moffett died on or about the 23rd day of February 1906, in said County of Inyo, State of California that the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime, in the said County of Inyo, aforesaid State of California and signed by the said testator in the presence of Henry Rhine, and John W. P. Laird, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of 43 years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 14th day of March 1908.

(Seal)

Walter A. Lamar, Judge
 Attest W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Filed March 14 1908.

W. L. Hunter Clerk.

In The Name of God Amen:- I, Frank Shaw, of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy-six years, and being of sound and disposing mind, and not under any restraint or the influence or representation of any person whatsoever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in the manner following, that is to say:

Firstly:- I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate;

Secondly:- I direct that my executor herein-after named, as soon as he shall have sufficient funds in his hands, pay my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last illness and all my just debts;

Thirdly:- All of my property, including real, personal and mixed, being community property, I devise and direct that the same shall descend to my heirs, said heirs consisting of my wife, Clara M. Shaw, and my four children, viz., Harry Shaw, Margie Kewley, Frankie S. Leibly and Elma Shuey, in the same manner as though I had died intestate, and that my said heirs shall each receive such proportion of my property aforesaid as they would be entitled to had I died intestate;

Fourthly:- I desire and request my heirs, if convenient and practicable, to keep my property together for as long a time as possible, and I suggest and advise that after a decree of distribution has been entered, and my executor discharged, that my said heirs enter into an agreement between themselves whereby the said property may be retained and managed for their joint interests, and with a view to providing an income for said heirs therefrom;

Fifthly:- I hereby appoint my son, Harry Shaw, of the County of Inyo, State of California, the Executor of this my last Will and Testament, and direct that he shall not be re-

quied to give any bonds for the performance of his duties as such executor.

I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26th day of March, A.D. One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eight (1908).

Frank Shaw (Seal).

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one full page, besides this, was at the date hereof, by the said Frank Shaw, signed, sealed and published as and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Geo Watterson, Residing at Bishop, Cal.

Will L. Smith, Residing at Bishop, Cal.

(Endorsed)

Filed Jun 30. 1908, W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate
of
Frank Shaw, deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will and the
Facts Found.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the
Superior Court, do hereby certify: -

That on the 27th day of July A.D. 1908, the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Frank Shaw, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows: -

That said Frank Shaw died on or about the Second day of June, A.D. 1908, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County

of Inyo, State of California; that the annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo, aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of Geo Watterson, and Will L. Smith, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of Twenty-six years, and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 27th day of July A.D. 1908.

Walter A. Lamar,

Judge.

(Seal)

Attest: W. L. Hunter

Clerk.

Filed July 27 1908,

W. L. Hunter,

Clerk.

-: Last Will and Testament of Minerva Powers:-
 In The Name of God, Amen, I, Minerva Powers of
 Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, of the
 age of Sixty-four years, and being of sound and
 disposing mind and memory, and not acting
 under duress, menace, fraud, nor under the
 restraint, influence or representation of any
 person or persons whatsoever, but of my own
 knowledge and my own free will, do make,
 publish, and declare this my Last Will and
 Testament, in manner following; that is to
 say: -

First, I direct that my body be decently
 buried, without undue ceremony or ostentation,
 but with proper regard to my condition and
 station in life and the circumstances of
 my estate. -

Second. I direct that my executors herein-
 after named, as soon as they have suffi-
 cient funds in their hands out of my
 estate, that they pay my funeral expenses,
 the expenses of my last sickness and any
 other necessary expense incurred on account
 of my last sickness.

Third. I give and bequeath, to my
 daughter, Jane P. Enloe, the sum of Fifty
 Dollars, and to my daughter, Adelaine E.
 Merry, the sum of Fifty Dollars, and to my
 son, Frank M. Inman, the sum of Fifty Dollars,
 and to my son, William M. Inman the sum
 of Fifty Dollars, and to my son Joseph M. Inman,
 the sum of Fifty Dollars, and to my grand
 children, Francis F. Irwin, and James G. Irwin,
 infant heirs of my daughter, Esther Powers,
 Irwin, deceased, the sum of Fifty Dollars,
 each; which said several legacies, or sum of
 money, I direct and order to be paid to the
 said respective legatees, or in case of the
 death of said legatee, to his or her lineal
 heir, out of the proceeds of the sale of the
 personal property, or out of the money on
 hand, owned by me at the time of my

death, after first paying and fully satisfying out of said money or proceeds, all my just debts, and expenses of administration, should the balance of said proceeds suffice for that purpose, and if not, then I direct and Order said legacies pro rata in like proportion.

Fourth. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Ethel Rose Powers, who now resides with me on my ranch, and to her heirs and assigns, all that certain lot piece or parcel of land, situated in the County of Inyo, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to wit: - The South-east quarter of Section Seven in Township Seven South of Range Thirty-three East, Mount Diablo, Base and Meridian, containing One hundred and sixty acres.

Together with all hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, to have and to hold the premises above described to the said Ethel Rose Powers, her heirs and assigns forever.

Fifth. I give and devise (for the term, and subject to the conditions hereinafter stated.) to the said Ethel Rose Powers, her heirs and assigns, all that certain lot piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Inyo, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to wit: - The North-west quarter of the North-east quarter of Section Eighteen, in Township Seven South, of Range Thirty-three East, Mount Diablo, Base and Meridian, containing forty acres, to have and to hold to the said Ethel Rose Powers, her heirs and assigns, to take, hold, receive, and claim the rents issues and profits thereof, for her own proper use and benefit up to and until, the youngest child of the said Esther Powers Irwin, shall have arrived at the age of

eighteen years, and from and after the youngest child shall have arrived at the age of eighteen years, I give and bequeath the last above described land to the said Francis F. Irwin, and to the said James G. Irwin share and share alike, and in case of the death of either of them without lineal heirs, then his or her portion to the survivor, to have and to hold to the said Francis F. Irwin, and James G. Irwin, and to their heirs and assigns forever.

Sixth. I give and devise all the rest, residue, and remainder of any real estate, of every name and nature whatsoever, owned by me at the time of my death, to my daughter Ethel Rose Powers, and to her heirs and assigns forever.

Seventh:— I give and bequeath all the rest, residue, and remainder of my personal estate whether the same may be goods, chattels, merchandize, money, or any other kind or nature of personal property owned by me at the time of my death, to my said daughter Ethel Rose Powers, for her own sole use and benefit.

Lastly. I hereby nominate and appoint, Ethel Rose Powers, of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, and White Smith, Esq. of Bishop, County of Inyo State of California, as the executors of this my Last Will and Testament, and it is my request that if the said White Smith, should decline to act as such executor, that the said Ethel Rose Powers, may serve as such Executrix, without giving bonds of any kind or in any amount, I hereby revoking all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 18th day of October, in the year of our Lord one Thousand nine hundred and six.

Minerva Powers. (Seal)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two pages besides this, was, at the date thereof, by the said Minerva Powers, signed and sealed and published as and declared to be her Last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at her request, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

W. G. McBrosky
Residing at, Bishop, Cal.
Fred R. Smith.
Residing at Bishop, California

Residing at,

Residing at,

Filed Jul 15, 1908.

W. L. Hunter, Sec. Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
In and for the County of Inyo.
In the Matter of the
Estate of
Minerva Powers
Deceased.
Certificate of Proof of Will, and the Facts
Found.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on the Thirty-first day of July, 1908, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Minerva Powers, deceased, and, from the proofs taken and the examination had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Minerva Powers died on or about the 30th day of June, 1908, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time

of her death she was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California, and left estate in said County; that the annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in her lifetime in the County aforesaid State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of W. J. McBrosky and Fred R. Smith, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that she acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be her last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respects incompetent to devise and bequeath her estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 31st day of July, 1908.

Walter A. Lamar,
Judge of the Superior Court

(Seal)

Attest:

By W. L. Hunter

Clerk.

Filed July 31, 1908.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California:—
In the Matter of the Estate
of J. S. John S. Mc Gee, Deceased.

Certificate of
Proof of Will
and
The Facts Found.

State of California }
County of Inyo }

I W^m J. Dehy, Judge of the said
Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 5th day of March, A.D. 1909,
the annexed instrument was admitted to Probate
as the last Will and Testament of J. S. Mc Gee,
Deceased, and from the proofs taken, and the
examinations had herein the said Court finds
as follows:—

That said J. S. Mc Gee, who is also called
John S. Mc Gee, died on or about the 24th day
of January, A.D. 1909, at Bishop, in the County
of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of
his death he was a resident of the County of
the County of Inyo, State of California, and that
the said annexed Will, was executed by said
decedent in the County of Inyo, aforesaid, State
of California, and signed by the said testator in
the presence of W. O. Mcroney and S. S. Allen,
the subscribing Witnesses thereto, that at the time
of the execution of this Will, the said decedent
was over the age of twenty-one years.

That the subscribing Witnesses are both
alive but are non-residents of said Inyo County,
the said W. O. Mcroney, residing in Los Angeles
County, and the said S. S. Allen, residing in or
near San Francisco, California: That the said
decedent, at the time of executing said will, was
of sound and disposing mind, and not acting
under duress, fraud or undue influence, nor in
any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath
his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this
Certificate and caused the same to be
attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the

seal thereof, this 5th day of March, A.D. 1909.

Wm. D. Deby,

(Seal)

Attest: W. L. Hunter
Judge
Clerk.

In the name of God, Amen. I John S. Mc Gee, of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of 45 years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my body be decently buried with ^{proper} regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly. I direct that my Executrix hereinafter named, as soon as she has sufficient funds in her hand, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly. That I give and bequeath to each of my brothers, Carlton Mc Gee and A. L. Mc Gee, the sum of five dollars; to my sisters, Elizabeth J. Garry, Mahulda Summers and Margaret Hockett, the sum of five dollars each.

Fourthly. I give and devise all the rest residue, and remainder of any property, both real and personal, of every name and nature whatsoever, owned by me at the time of my death, to my beloved wife, Caroline Mc Gee.

Lastly. I hereby nominate and appoint my said wife, Caroline Mc Gee, the executrix of this, my last Will and Testament, without bonds, and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 11 day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

John S. Mc Gee (Seal)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said

John S. Mc Gee signed and sealed and published
 as and declared to be, his last Will and
 Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request,
 and in his presence, and in the presence of
 each other have subscribed our names as
 witnesses thereto.

Samuel S. Allen
 Residing at Bishop, Inyo County, California.
 W. D. Mcronen
 Residing at Bishop, Inyo County, California.

Filed and Endorsed Will - Feb. 3 - 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Mar. 5 - 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
 In and for the County of Inyo.
 In the Matter of the Estate of Rachael Hilton, Deceased.
 Certificate of Proof
 of Will and the
 Back Bond.

State of California } ss.
 County of Inyo }

I, Walter A. Lamar, Judge of the
 said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on
 the 20th day of October, 1908, the annexed
 instrument was admitted to probate as the
 last will and testament of Rachael Hilton, deceased,
 and, from the proofs taken, and the examinations
 had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Rachael Hilton died on or about
 the 26th day of August, 1908, in the County of
 Inyo, State of California; that at the time of
 her death she was a resident of the County of
 Inyo, aforesaid, and left estate in said County,
 State of California; that the said annexed will
 was duly executed by the said decedent in her
 lifetime, in the County of Inyo, aforesaid, State
 of California, and signed by the said testatrix in

the presence of W. G. Allen and W. H. Vaughn, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that she acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be her last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her estate.

In witness whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 20th day of October, 1908.

(Seal)

Attest:

By W. L. Hunter,

Clerk.

Walter A. Lamar,
Judge of said Superior Court.

Last Will and Testament.

In the Name of God. Amen. I Rachael Hilton, of Round Valley, County of Inyo, State of California, of full legal age, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, fraud, menace, or undue influence of any kind or from or of any person or persons whatsoever, but with my own mind fully made up and satisfied, as to what and in what way I desire to dispose of my property, do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:—

First. I direct that my body be decently buried, according to my standing in life and the condition of my estate.

Second, I direct that my executor hereinafter named, as soon as he shall have sufficient funds

in his hands out of my estate that he pay all the expenses of my last sickness, and my funeral expenses.

Third. I direct that as soon after my death as may be convenient, that my executors convert all my estate in and to money and pay all my just debts, funeral expenses, expenses of administration, and dispose of the balance of my said estate as follows, to-wit: -

1. I give and devise to my daughter Millie French the sum of one thousand Dollars, and it is my will, and I herein declare that the lands heretofore conveyed to her by Richard Hilton, my deceased husband, be confirmed and I hereby devise the same to the said Millie French.

2. I hereby give and bequeath to my son, Charles A. Hilton, the sum of Two thousand Dollars.

3. I give and bequeath to my grandson, Edgar Hilton, son of Edgar Hilton, deceased, the sum of One thousand Dollars.

4. I give and bequeath to Millie Hilton, and Leo Hilton children of my son Edgar Hilton deceased, the sum of Fifty Dollars each.

5. I give and bequeath to my son Orlando Hilton, if he is alive and to his heirs if he is dead, the sum of One Dollar, I make this recital in my Will, that is that my son Orlando Hilton has not been heard from in many years and I do not know that he is alive, and it is my Will that this estate be closed, as if the said Orlando Hilton, were dead and left no heirs.

6. After my funeral expenses are paid, the expenses of administration; and all my just debts are paid; and the bequests above mentioned, then I give and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, or of any estate that I may own at the time of my death to my sons Joseph Hilton, Oscar Hilton and Frank Hilton share and share alike, and if they or either of them are dead at the time of my death, to the heirs of said deceased.

I hereby nominate and appoint my son,

Charles A. Hilton of Round Valley, County of Inyo, State of California, the Executor of this my last Will and Testament, and if from any cause the said Charles A. Hilton cannot act as such Executor, then I hereby nominate and appoint White Smith, Esq., of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, to act as such Executor of this my last Will and Testament, and I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the 6th day of August, A. D. 1908.

Rachael Hilton.

The foregoing instrument consists of two pages, including the page acknowledged to have been signed by the testator, and she, the said Rachael Hilton, at the date thereof, in our presence and in the presence of each of us, acknowledged to us that her signature to said instrument was made by her, and at the same time and place, and in our presence, and in the presence of each of us, declared that said instrument was her will, and at her request, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, we have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

W. G. Allen

Residing at Round Valley, Calif.

W. H. Vaughan,

Residing at Round Valley Cal.

Filed Sep. 15-1908.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Mar. 5-1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
 State of California.
 In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Lockett, Deceased. Certificate of Proof
 of Will and
 the Facts Surrounding

State of California } ss.
 County of Inyo }

I, Wm. D. Lohy, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify that on the 27th day of March, 1909, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Robert Lockett, deceased, and from the proofs taken and examination had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Robert Lockett died on or about the 14th day of February, 1909, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of the same County of Inyo; that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his life time, in the said County of Inyo and signed by the said testator in the presence of P. W. Smith and Jas. B. Murphy, both of said County, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other; that said decedent, at the time of executing said will, was of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In witness whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said County, under the seal thereof, this 27th day of March, 1909.

(Seal)

Wm. D. Lohy
 Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest: W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Keeler, January 23rd 1909

This is the last will and testament of me, Robt. Lockett of England in the town of Keeler, County of Inyo, State of California.

I give and bequeath all my real estate of personal estate whatsoever and wheresoever unto my sister Lillian Jane Lockett of Red Butte, England, her heirs, executors, administrators and assigns for her and their own use and benefit forever.

And I appoint Elizabeth McLean sole administratrix of this my will hereby revoking all other wills made by me at any time heretofore.

In Witness Whereof I the said Robert Lockett have hereunto set my hand this twenty-third day of January in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nine.

Robert Lockett.

Witnesses

P. W. Smith

Jas. B. Murphy.

Filed Mar. 27, 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Mar. 27, 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
in and for the County of Inyo.
In the Matter of the Estate
of
William J. Lark, Deceased.

State of California } ss.

County of Inyo

I, Wm. D. Lark, Judge of said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on the seventeenth day of April, 1909, the annexed instrument was admitted

To probate as the last will and testament of William J. Lake, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That said William J. Lake died on or about the 20th day of March, 1909, at Independence, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of said County of Inyo, State of California, and left estate therein; that the said annexed will was duly executed by the decedent in his life time, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and signed by the testator in the presence of C. W. Forbes and A. W. Nobles, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, being of the age of seventy (70) years, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In witness whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this seventeenth day of April, 1909.

(Seal)

W^m D. Dehy

Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest:

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen, I, William J. Lake of the Town of Independence, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person, whatever,

do make, publish, and declare this my Last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Second. I direct that my executors hereinafter named as soon as they shall have sufficient funds in their hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness, and all proper claims against my estate.

Third. I give, devise and bequeath to my nephew, William J. Lake, residing at Alma, State of Arkansas, my gold watch and chain, for his own sole and separate use.

Fourth. I give, devise and bequeath to my niece, Mollie Lake, residing at Granby, State of Missouri, and the said William J. Lake, all the rest and residue of my property of which I may die seized or possessed, both real and personal, share and share alike.

Lastly. I hereby nominate and appoint A. W. Ebershitz of Independence, California, and the said William J. Lake, the Executors of this my Last Will and Testament, and I request that they be appointed as such without giving any bond or bonds for the performance of their duties as such executors.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this twelfth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

William J. Lake (Seal)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page, besides this, was at the date hereof by the said William J. Lake, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names thereto.

P. W. Forbes
Residing at Independence, Cal.
A. W. Nobles
Residing at Independence, Calif.

Filed Apr. 17, 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Apr. 17, 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Will of Adolph Gerckens

I, Adolph Gerckens, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills by me made.

I bequeath all my property real and personal wherever the same may be, to my Niece Mathilde Louise Gerckens.

I appoint my said Niece, Mathilde Louise Gerckens the Executrix of this my last Will and Testament: -

My Will is that my said Niece Mathilde Louise Gerckens shall not be required to give any Bonds or Security to the Judge of Probate for the faithful Execution of the duties of Executrix.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifteenth day of August A. D. Eighteen hundred and Ninety Nine.
Adolph Gerckens.

Witness:

M. Anderson

A. D. Schaeley

Wm Voss.

I, Adolph Gerckens, of Laws County of Inyo, State of California, do make this present codicil to my last Will and Testament. I have heretofore made a last Will, devising and bequeathing all my property, both real and personal, that I may own at the time of my death, to my beloved niece Mathilda Louise Voss,

I hereby and at this time ratify and confirm that Will, I give, devise and bequeath, all property, real or personal that I may be entitled to or that I own at the time of my death, to my said Niece, Mathilda Louise Voss. I do not forget my brothers, or their children or any of my relatives, but I do not wish to leave anything under this will to any one except my said Niece Mathilda Louise Voss.

I direct that this codicil be attached to my Will and it is so attached. I have no children. I was married at one time but the woman to whom I was married left me and divorced me, I give her nothing. I direct that all debts be paid, that my funeral expenses be paid. I direct that said Mathilda Louise Voss, act as Executrix of this my last Will; and that she serve without Bonds of any kind.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand this the 28th day of April A. D. 1909.

Adolph Gickens.

The foregoing instrument, wholly on this one page, was, at the date hereof, by the said Adolph Gickens, the maker hereof, signed in our presence and in the presence of each other, and of each of us, and at the time of his subscribing his name to said instrument, he declared it was a codicil to his last will, or his last Will, and at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, we have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

J. S. Henderson
Residing at Bishop, Calif.

J. N. Shannon
Residing at Bishop, Calif.

Filed May 18, 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the State of California
In and for the County of Inyo.
In the Matter of the Estate
of
Adolph Gickens, Deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will
and the Facts Found.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, Wm D Lehy, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on the 16th day of June, 1909, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament and codicil thereto of Adolph Guckens, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Adolph Guckens died on or about the fourth day of May, 1909, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo aforesaid, and left estate in said County, State of California; and the said annexed will and the codicil thereto was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the testator in the presence of M. Anderson, A. D. Schindler and Wm Voss, the subscribing witnesses thereto, and the codicil thereto signed by the testator in the presence of J. G. Henderson and J. H. Shannon, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the will and of the codicil in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament and codicil thereto, and and the said witnesses attested the said will and codicil at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that said decedent at the time of executing said will, and executing said codicil, was at the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound mind disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In witness whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 16th day of June, 1909.

Seal

Wm D Lehy

Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest W. L. Hunter, Clerk of said Superior Court.

Filed Jan. 16-1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Jan 16-1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen. I, A. W. Kilpatrick of the Town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of 66 years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish, and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly. I direct that my executor hereinafter named, as soon as he have sufficient funds in his hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly. I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Vina Kilpatrick one half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of all my estate real and personal property of every name and nature whatsoever and wheresoever situate.

Fourthly. I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter, Lucretia Kilpatrick one fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) of all my estate real and personal property of every name and nature whatsoever and wheresoever situate.

Fifthly. I give, devise and bequeath to my son, A. W. Kilpatrick one fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) of all my estate real and personal property of every name and nature whatsoever and wheresoever situate.

Lastly. I hereby nominate and appoint my said son A. W. Kilpatrick, the executor of this my last Will and Testament, and hereby revoke all former Wills by me made, and it is my express wish that my executor mentioned as aforesaid act without giving any bond for the faithful performance of his duty, having full faith and

confidence that such duty will be performed by him without being liable under bond to the beneficiaries of my will.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, the 27 day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight.

A. S. Kilpatrick (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page, besides this, was, at the date hereof by the said A. S. Kilpatrick, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

J. K. Andrews,
Residing at Bishop, Cal.

W. W. Vandell
Residing at Bishop, Cal.

Filed Jan 7 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate
of

A. S. Kilpatrick, deceased

Certificate of Proof
of Will.

I W^m D. Lihy, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo do hereby certify:-
That on the 25th day of June, 1909, A. S. the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of A. S. Kilpatrick, deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had herein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That A. S. Kilpatrick died on the 22nd day of May, 1909, A.D. in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of W. W. Vandell and T. H. Andrews the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the seal thereof, this 23rd day of June, 1909. A.D.

W^m D. Dehy

Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest:

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Seal

Filed June 23-1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered June 23-1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
 State of California.
 In the Matter of the Estate
 of J. D. Harger, deceased. Certificate of Probate
 of Will by Judge.

State of California } ss.

County of Inyo }
 I, Wm. D. Leary, Judge of the Superior
 Court of the County of Inyo, State of California,
 do hereby certify:

That on the 20th day of September,
 A.D. 1909, the annexed instrument was admitted
 to probate as the last will and testament of
 J. D. Harger, deceased; and from the proofs
 taken and the examination had therein, the
 said court finds as follows:-

That J. D. Harger died on or about the
 22nd day of August, A.D. 1909, in the County of
 Inyo, State of California, and at the time of
 his death he was a resident of Bishop,
 County of Inyo, State of California.

That the said annexed will was duly
 executed by said decedent in his lifetime,
 in the County of Inyo, State of California,
 in the presence of Mark L. Watterson, Ned C.
 Smith and C. C. Mough, the subscribing
 witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged
 the execution of the same in their presence,
 and declared the same to be his last will and
 testament, and the said witnesses attested the
 same at his request and in his presence; that
 the said decedent at the time of executing
 said will as aforesaid, was over the age of
 seventy-four years, was of sound mind, and not
 under duress, menace, fraud or undue
 influence, or in any respect incompetent to
 devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof I have signed this
 certificate and caused the same to be
 attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the
 seal thereof, this 27th day of September,

A.D. 1909.

See

W^m D. L. Hargis
Judge of the Superior Court.
Attest: W. L. Hunter,
Clerk.

Filed Sep. 27 - 1909 - W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Will.

In the Name of God, Amen, I, J. D. Hargis, of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of twenty-four years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or any undue influence of any kind, or of or from any person, or persons whatsoever, but realizing the uncertainties of human life, and desiring to dispose of my property at my death as I think best, do of my own free will, and of my own mind, and as to me seems just and right after a careful consideration of the whole matter, do make, publish and declare, this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say: -

First. I direct that my body be decently buried, according to my standing in life, and the condition of my estate, but without any undue ceremony or ostentation.

Second. I direct my executor, as soon as he shall have sufficient funds out of my estate, that he will pay all my funeral expenses, and the expenses of my last sickness, and I direct these expenses to be paid immediately after my death out of any money that may be on hand at the time of my death.

Third, I direct that all my just debts be paid out of my estate, and that my executor, or whoever may have charge of the settlement of my estate, shall procure and erect a suitable monument, to the memory of my deceased wife and myself, such monument not to cost in place in the cemetery to exceed the sum of three thousand dollars.

Fourth. I give, devise and bequeath, my estate in the following proportions, after the

payments of my debts, funeral expenses, and the expense of erecting the monument above mentioned, to wit, I give and bequeath to my daughter, Nellie Falsen, the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars, and to my daughter, Lizzie Schuber, the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars, and to my son Harry Harger, the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, and to my son, Jay Harger, the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, and to Emma J. Collins, my faithful companion and nurse, who has resided with and cared for me for several years past, I give and bequeath, the sum of One Thousand Dollars.

Eighth - It is my will, that in case the above named Emma J. Collins, should die before I do, or before my estate is distributed under my will, that the legacy above bequeathed to her shall go to my heirs above named, in the proportionate rate above mentioned, together with the rest of my property.

Ninth. I hereby direct that all my estate be converted into money as soon after my death as convenient (provided that if the heirs can agree on the value of any real estate that I may have, and one or more take as a part of their legacy such real estate, then this may be done) and the said estate be then immediately distributed to the heirs and legatees herein mentioned. It is my will that the settlement of my estate, as soon after my death, as legal or suitable shall be compulsory on my executor or administrator.

Tenth. It is my will, that all property of which I may die possessed, or entitled to possess be distributed in the proportions above mentioned, after of course the payment of funeral expenses, debts, charges of administration, and for the monument above provided for, which said claims are all prior liens on my estate, and first to be paid or performed, but it is also expressly provided that the proportionate distribution of my estate shall also extend to and apply to Emma J. Collins, above

named just as to my children. The provisions of this will shall apply to the issue of any deceased heir.

I hereby nominate and appoint, Nellie E. Callson, and — of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, the executor of this my last Will and Testament, and I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 22nd day of October A.D. (1908) One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eight.

J. D. Harger.

The foregoing instrument consisting of three pages including the one signed by the Testator, was at the date hereof, by said J. D. Harger, the maker thereof, signed in our presence, and in the presence of each of us, and at the time of his subscribing said instrument, he declared it was his Will, and at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each of us and in the presence of each other we have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Mark L. Waterson

Residing at Bishop, Cal.

Fred R. Smith

Residing at Bishop, California.

D. P. Keough

Residing at Bishop - Cal.

Residing at —————

Filed Aug. 30 - 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Sep. 27 - 1909.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

By This Indenture made this 27th day of August A.D. nineteen hundred and nine, I A. C. Freeman of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California do make this my last, bequest as follows, to wit:

I hereby give to my beloved sister Harriet Ann Freeman Care all of which I may die possessed to wit: My personal property as One Assay outfit, Household goods of all kinds. Mortgages due me, one due Apr. 1st 1910

" " " " 1911.

" " " " 1912.

on record.

Also all monies I may have on my person or in the Inyo County Bank in town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California. She to take possession of in my place without legal action, paying any just debts and funeral expenses that may occur. The above is my actual desire.

Signed this 27th day of August A. D. 1909.

A. C. Freeman.

In the presence of
A. C. Barnes
J. N. Shannon
Bishop, California.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

On this 27th day of August, A. D. 1909, before me, J. N. Shannon a Notary Public in and for said Inyo County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn personally appeared A. C. Freeman of town of Bishop, County of Inyo, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my Official Seal, at my office in the County of Inyo, the

day and year in this Certificate first above written.

(Seal)

J. H. Shannon
Notary Public in and for said Inyo
County, State of California.
My commission expires Aug. 14, 1911.

(Endorsed) Last Will and Testament of A. C. Freeman.

August 27th, 1909.

Died May 23- 1910.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
In and for the County of Inyo.
In the Matter of the Estate
of
A. C. Freeman, Deceased. Certificate of Proof of Will
and the Facts Found.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, Wm. D. Ledy, Judge of the said
Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 14th day of June, A.D.
1910, the annexed instrument was admitted to
probate as the last Will and Testament of
A. C. Freeman deceased, and from the proofs
taken and the examinations had therein, the
said Court finds as follows:

That A. C. Freeman died on or
about the 16th day of May, A.D. 1910, in the
County of Inyo, State of California; that at
the time of his death, he was a resident
of the County of Inyo, State of California;
that the executed Will was duly executed
by the said decedent in his lifetime, in the
said County of Inyo, State of California, and
signed by the said testator, in the presence of
J. H. Shannon and T. C. Harniss, the subscribing
witnesses thereto; that he acknowledged the
execution of the same in their presence, and
declared the same to be his last Will and
Testament, and said witnesses attested the
same at his request, in his presence and in the

presence of each other, that said decedent at the time of executing the said Will was of the age of 68 years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused it to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 14th day of June, A.D. 1910.

W^m D. Ledy

Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest:

Clerk.

Died June 14-1910.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Jan. 14-1910

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California
In the Matter of the Estate
of
Oluf N. Hill, Deceased.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, W^m D. Ledy, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California, do hereby certify, that on the twenty-first day of January, A.D. 1910, the annexed instrument was duly admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Oluf N. Hill, and from the proof taken and the examinations had thereon, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Oluf N. Hill died on or about the twenty-eighth day of December,

1909, at the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California; that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of W. D. Gunter and W. O. McRoney, the subscribing witnesses thereto, also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other, that the said decedent at the time of executing said will, was at the age of eighteen and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his said estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Superior Court under the seal thereof, this twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1910.

(Seal)

Wm J. Dehy

Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest: W. L. Hunter,
Clerk.

I Alf N. Kiel, of Bishop, Inyo County, California, of the age of Fifty six years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any person whatever do make, publish and declare this my last Will and testament, in manner following, that is to say: I give and bequeath to my wife,

I give and sell all the property of whatsoever kind and character and where ever situate of which I may be possessed. I appoint my wife executrix of this my last will and testament, to act without bonds. I give her power to sell all or any of my estate without order of Court. And I hereby revoke all Wills heretofore made by me.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 6th day of February A. D. Nineteen hundred and one (1901).
 Alf N. Hill (Seal)

The foregoing instrument was at the date hereof, by the said Alf N. Hill, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last will and testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

H. N. Gunter

Bishop, Inyo Co., California

W. O. Monney

Bishop, Inyo Co., California.

(Endorsed) County Clerk's Office

Filed Jan. 4, 1910.

W. L. Hunter, Co. Clerk,

Inyo Co. Cal.

Filed Apr. 1- 1910.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Nov. 1- 1910.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the name of God, amen. I
Nathan Gilbert, of Bishop, in the County of
Inyo and State of California, of the age
of 74 years, being of sound and disposing
mind and memory, and not under any
restraint, or the influence or representation
of any person whatever, do make, publish
and declare this my last will and testament,
in manner following: that is to say:

First I direct that my executrix
hereinafter named, as soon as she shall
have sufficient funds in her hands, pay
my funeral expenses and the expenses
of my last sickness if any such expense
should be incurred.

Second. I give and bequeath to
my friend, Bridget Hill, of the town of
Bishop, California, all the real and personal
property of every name and nature whatsoever
owned by me at the time of my death.

Third. I hereby nominate and
appoint Bridget Hill, the executrix of this
my last will and testament and direct that
she be not required to give bond.

Fourth. I hereby revoke all former
wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this 30th day of
October A. D. 1909.

Nathan Gilbert (Seal)

We, the undersigned, hereby
certify that we were present and saw
Nathan Gilbert, the testator named in the
foregoing will, sign, seal, and execute the
same at the date thereof, and he
thereupon declared to us that said
document was his last will and testament,
and requested us to subscribe our names
therein as witnesses, and thereupon we, in
his presence and in the presence of
each other, then and there subscribed
our names as witnesses to said will.

Geo. W. Ledy, a resident of Bishop,
California.

James M^cQuade, a resident of
Bishop, California.

Enrolled: County Clerk's Office
Recd Dec. 15- 1909
W. L. Hunter, Co. Clerk
Inyo Co., Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.
In the Matter of the Estate
of
Nathan Gilbert, Deceased.

State of California }
County of Inyo }

I, W^m D Ledy, Judge of the
Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State
of California, do hereby certify, that on
the twenty-first day of January A. D.
1910, the annexed instrument was duly
admitted to probate as the last will
and testament of Nathan Gilbert, and from
the proofs taken and the examinations
had therein, the Court finds as follows,
to wit:-

That said Nathan Gilbert died
on or about the first day of December,
1909 at the County of Inyo, State of
California; that at the time of his death
he was a resident of the said County
of Inyo, State of California; that the
said annexed will was duly executed by
the said decedent in his lifetime; in
the said County of Inyo, State of
California, and signed by the said
testator in the presence of James
M^cQuade and Geo. W. Ledy, the
subscribing witnesses thereto; also, that
he acknowledged the execution of the
same in their presence, and declared

the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said will, was at the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his said estate.

In Witness Whereof I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Superior Court, under the Seal thereof, this 21st day of January, A. D. 1910.

Wm D Lehy
Judge of said Superior Court.
Deed Nov. 1-1910.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.
Entered Nov. 1-1910.
W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
in and for the County of Inyo.
In the Matter of the Estate

Catherine L. Sneden, Deceased. Certificate of Proof of
Will, and the facts
found.

State of California }
County of Inyo }

I W^m D. Dwyer, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify that on the 27th day of April, 1911, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Catherine L. Sneden, deceased, and from the proof taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Catherine L. Sneden died on or about the 2nd day of May, 1910, in the County of Inyo, State of California; that at the time of her death she was a resident of the County of Inyo aforesaid and left estate in said county, State of California; that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in her lifetime in the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the testator, in the presence of George Watkinson and White Smith, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that she acknowledged the execution of the will in their presence; and declared the same to be her last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the said will at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other; that said decedent at the time of executing said will, was at the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be

attested by the clerk of said Court, under
the seal thereof, this 27th day of April, 1911.

W^m D. Dwyer

Judge of said Superior Court.

(Seal)

Attest: W. L. Hunter,

Clerk of said Superior Court.

Will and Testament.

In the Name of God, Amen, I,
Catherine L. Sweden, of Bishop, County of Inyo,
State of California, of legal age, and of
sound and disposing mind and memory, and
not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or
undue influence nor persuasion, or under
the representation of anyone, but acting
on my own knowledge, and with my mind
fully made up concerning the disposition
of my property, do make, publish and
declare this my last Will and Testament, in
manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my body be
decently buried, with proper regard to my
condition and station in life, and the
circumstances of my estate.

Secondly. I direct that my
executor, hereinafter named, as soon as he
shall have sufficient funds in his hands,
out of my estate, that he shall pay my
funeral expenses, and the expenses of my
last sickness.

Thirdly. It is my will, and I
hereby direct my executor, that as soon after
my death as he shall have sufficient
funds in his hands out of my estate, that
he will pay all my just debts, and as
soon thereafter as is proper and convenient
that he have a suitable monument erected
to the memory of myself and my deceased
husband, Seth G. Sweden.

Fourthly. I hereby give, devise and
bequeath, all the rest, residue and remainder
of any and all property of which I may

own at the time of my death, to my nephew, William P. Yancy, of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, and to my beloved nieces Anna Adams, formerly Anna Yancy, of Australia, to be equally divided between them, share and share alike, and to their heirs forever.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint William P. Yancy, of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, the Executor of this, my last Will and Testament, to serve without Bonds; and I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my Hand and seal this the 10th day of June, A. D. 1907.

Catherine L. Sueden (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of One Page beside this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Catherine L. Sueden, signed and sealed, and published as, and declared to be her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at her request, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Geo. Watterson

Residing at Bishop, Cal.

White Smith

Residing at Bishop, Cal.

(Endorsed) Last Will and Testament of Catherine L. Sueden.

Dated June 10th, 1907.

Filed May 25-1910.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Filed Apr. 27-1911.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Apr. 27-1911.

W. L. Hunter Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen: I Margaret Morehouse, of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy-four years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatsoever, do make, publish and declare this my last will and testament in the manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my executors hereinafter named, as soon as they have sufficient funds in their hands, pay my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last sickness, and all my just debts.

Second. I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter Marquette Sanderson one third ($\frac{1}{3}$) of the property of every name and nature whatsoever, owned by me at the time of my death.

Third. I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter, Catherine Mercer one third ($\frac{1}{3}$) of the property, of every name and nature whatsoever, owned by me at the time of my death.

Fourth. I give, devise and bequeath to my said daughters Marquette Sanderson and Catherine Mercer one third ($\frac{1}{3}$) of the property owned by me at the time of my death, in trust for the children of my deceased daughter, Mary Hohenthal, said one third ($\frac{1}{3}$) to be divided among said children equally and share and share alike, the share of each of said children to be given to such child upon and at the time of his or her, as the case may be, attaining majority and coming of age, by my said trustees, or the survivor of them; and I hereby appoint my said daughters Marquette Sanderson and Catherine Mercer and the survivor of them, to be my trustees of the said one third ($\frac{1}{3}$) of my estate herein devised and bequeathed to the children of said Mary Hohenthal, deceased,

Hereby empowering said trustees, and the survivor of them, to enter upon and manage the same to the best advantage of said children; and, in case of the death of either of said trustees, my will is, that the survivor of them do, immediately after the death of either of them, the said trustees, by any writing under her hand and seal, to be attested by two or more credible witnesses, appoint some other fit person to be trustees in the place and stead of the trustee so dying, which new trustee so to be appointed shall have the same power touching the trust premises and in the execution of the trust herein contained as they, the said Marguerite Sanderson and Catherine Mercer, or either of them, would have had by virtue of this my will, or otherwise, in case they had been living.

Fifth. I hereby nominate, and appoint my said daughters Marguerite Sanderson and Catherine Mercer, the executors of this, my last will and testament, and I desire and request that no bond or bonds as such executors be required of them, or either of them; and I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 17 day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

Margaret ^{her} Morehouse. (Seal.)
mark

Catherine E. Lehy, Witness to
mark of said Margaret Morehouse, hereto.

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page besides this page, was, at the date thereof, by Margaret Morehouse, the maker thereof, signed in our presence, and in the presence of each of us, and at the time of her subscribing said instrument said Margaret Morehouse declared to us that it

was her last will, and at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other we have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto this 17 day of January, A. D. 1910.

John Lehy
Residing at Bishop, Inyo Co. Cal.

Catherine E. Lehy
Residing at Bishop, Inyo County, California.
(Endorsed) Last Will and Testament of
Margaret Morehouse.

Filed Apr. 13-1911.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.
In the Matter of the Estate
of
Margaret Morehouse, Deceased.

State of California }
County of Inyo }

I Wm. D. Lehy, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California, do hereby certify:-

That on the 29th day of April A. D. 1911, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Margaret Morehouse, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examination had therein, the Court finds as follows:-

That Margaret Morehouse died on or about the second day of April, 1911, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of her death, she was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California.

That said annexed will was duly executed by said decedent in her lifetime in the County of Inyo, State of California in the presence of John Lehy and Catherine E. Lehy, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also, that she acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence,

and declared the same to be her last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other; and that the said decedent at the time of executing as aforesaid, was over the age of eighteen years, was of sound mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her estate.

In Witness Whereof I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the seal thereof, this 29th day of April A. D. 1911.

W^m D. Lohy
Judge of said Superior Court

Attest: W. L. Hunter,
Clerk.

Seal

Filed Apr. 29-1911.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Apr. 29-1911.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen:
 I H. P. Cartier of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy-two years and being of sound mind and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, fraud, menace, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:-

First: I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly: I direct that my executor hereinafter named, pay my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last sickness, and the expenses of the administration of my estate, and that for such purposes, resort be first had to any money which I may have on hand or on deposit at the time of my death.

Thirdly: I give and bequeath to my nephew, Ernest De Lelles, my gold watch.

Fourthly: I give and bequeath to my sisters, Marguerite Vigant, Elmira Prairie, Eulalie Cartier and Rosalie De Lelles, all the rest and residue of money which I may have on hand or on deposit, at the time of my death, after the payment of my funeral expenses, expenses of my last sickness, and the expenses of the administration of my estate, as herein above provided, to be divided among them, share and share alike.

Fifthly: I give and bequeath to my brother Philip Cartier and to my nephew, Dolores Vigant, of the town of Independence, California, all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situated in the town of Independence, County of Inyo, State of California, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Lot Five (5) and the north half of Lot Seven (7) in Block No.

Twenty eight (28) of said Town of Independence as the same are known and designated on the official map of said town, now on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of said Inyo County, to be divided equally between them, share and share alike.

Sixthly: I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, of every kind and nature whatsoever owned by me at the time of my death, to my said brother Phillip Cartier and to my said nephew, Dolores Vigant, to be divided equally between them, share and share alike.

Lastly: I hereby nominate and appoint my said nephew, Dolores Vigant, of Independence, California, the executor of this my last Will and Testament, to act without any bond being required of him, and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of April, 1911.

H. P. Cartier Seal

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page besides this, was, at the date hereof, by the said H. P. Cartier, signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be, his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Ben H. Yandage

Residing at Independence, Inyo Co., California.

Geo. S. Wood

Residing at Independence, Inyo Co., California.

(Endorsed) N. 436.

County Clerk's Office Filed Aug. 14- 1911.

W. L. Hunter, Co. Clerk, Inyo Co., Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate

H. P. Carter, Deceased.

Certificate of
Proof of Will.

I W^m D. Lehy, Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Inyo, do hereby certify:-

That on the 5th day of September A. D. 1911 the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of H. P. Carter, deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examination had thereon, the said Court finds as follows:

That H. P. Carter died on the 7th day of August A. D. 1911 in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life time, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of Ben H. Yandell and Geo. S. Wood the subscribing witnesses thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other. That the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentation, or in any respect incompetent to devise and

bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed
this certificate and caused the same to
be attested by the Clerk of this Court
under the Seal thereof, this 5th day of
September A. D. 1911.

W^m D. Dehy

Judge of the Superior Court

Seal

Attest: W. L. Hunter,

Clerk.

Died Sep. 5 - 1911.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Sep. 6 - 1911.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

To all whom it may concern: In case of my death it is my wish that all of my mines and any other property I may be possessed of in the Marnera Mining District Inyo County, California shall revert to Joseph Francis Bielinski at present residing at Mause, Ariz.

John Baxter.
Mause, Dec. 8th, 1906.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate
of John Baxter, deceased. Certificate of
Proof of Will.

I, W^m D. Lehy, Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Inyo, do hereby certify:

That on the 11th day of November A. D. 1911, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of John Baxter, deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing and signed by the witnesses respectively, and filed herein; and from the proofs taken, and the examination had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said John Baxter died on or about the 12th day of June 1911 in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said Inyo County. That the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent in his life-time in the County of Inyo, State of California. That the said Will was entirely written, dated and signed by the hand of said decedent. That the said decedent at the time of executing said Will

as aforesaid, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace, fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court under the seal thereof, this eleventh day of November A.D. 1911.

W^m D. Lehy
Judge of the Superior Court.

(Seal)

Attest: W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Filed Nov. 11 - 1911.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Nov. 13 - 1911.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

I, Elijah Robinson, of the Town of Independence, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy-five years, do hereby make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following:-

First. I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as conveniently can be done.

Second. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Estella Callaway, of Inyo County, California, the sum of Four Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00) in Trust, nevertheless, for the following purposes, namely: To invest the said sum of Four Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00), in some good and safe security, that can be readily converted into cash, or to the said sum on receiving good and safe security therefor, or, to co-invest a part, and so loan the balance of said sum, from the receipt by her of this bequest, until my grandson, Arthur E. Robinson, now ten years of age, or thereabouts, shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years; but from time to time during said period, as said Estella Callaway shall deem advisable, provided it be at least once every twelve months, to pay to said Arthur E. Robinson, or to the guardian of his estate, or to such person as shall have the custody of said Arthur E. Robinson, for the benefit, maintenance and support of said Arthur E. Robinson, the net income of said Four Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00); and to pay to said Arthur E. Robinson, on his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, said sum of Four Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00), together with any unpaid interest, income and accumulation, and in the event of the death of said Arthur E. Robinson, unmarried, and before he shall have arrived at the age of twenty-one years, the said Four Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00), together with any unpaid interest, income and accumulation, shall, upon his death be paid to, and immediately become the property of Estella Callaway, my hereinafter named residuary legatee and devisee, and in event of her decease, before the death of said Arthur E. Robinson, if he, said Arthur E. Robinson, shall die unmarried before he arrives at

the age of twenty-one years, said Four Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00) together with any unpaid interest, income and accumulation, shall be paid to and immediately become the property of the lineal descendant or descendants of said Estella Callaway.

Third: I give and bequeath to my said daughter, Estella Callaway, the sum of Four Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00), in trust, nevertheless, for the following purposes, namely: To invest the said sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4000.00) in some good and safe security that can be readily converted into money, or to loan the said sum on receiving good and safe security therefor, or to so invest a part and so loan the balance of said sum, from the receipt by her of this bequest, until my grandson, Arthur M. Callaway, now five years of age, or thereabouts shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, but from time to time during said period, as said Estella Callaway shall deem advisable, provided that it shall be at least once every twelve months, to pay to said Arthur M. Callaway, or to the guardian of his estate, or to such person as shall have the custody of said Arthur M. Callaway, or herself retain, for the benefit, maintenance and support of said Arthur M. Callaway, the net income from said Four Thousand Dollars (\$4000.00); and to pay to said Arthur M. Callaway on his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, said sum of Four Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00), together with any unpaid interest, income and accumulation, and in the event of the death of said Arthur M. Callaway, unmarried, and before he shall have arrived at the age of twenty-one years, the said Four Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00) together with any unpaid interest, income and accumulation, shall upon his death be paid to, and immediately become the property of Estella Callaway, my hereinafter named residuary legatee and advisee, and in event of her decease before the death of said Arthur M. Callaway, if he, said Arthur M. Callaway shall die unmarried, before he arrives at the age of twenty-one years, said Four

Thousand Dollars, (\$4000.00), together with any unpaid interest, income and accumulation, shall be paid to, and immediately become the property of the lineal descendant, or descendants of said Estella Callaway.

Fourth: I give and bequeath to my brother Harry J. Robinson, of the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, (\$500.00).

Fifth: I give and bequeath to my brother, Robert Robinson, of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, (\$500.00).

Sixth: I give and bequeath to my sister, Mary Vinson, of the Town of Independence, County of Inyo, State of California, the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, (\$2000.00).

Seventh: I give and bequeath to my step-son, Frank C. Scherer, of the Town of Independence, County of Inyo, State of California, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, (\$500.00).

Eighth: All the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, real, personal and mixed, wheresoever situate, of which I may die seized or possessed, or which I may have, or to which I may be entitled at the time of my decease, I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter, Estella Callaway, of Inyo County, State of California.

Ninth: Should any of the requests heretofore made by me, lapse, or for any reason fail, I direct that the requests so lapsing or failing, shall go to, and form a part of my residuary estate, and be disposed of under and in accordance with the provisions of the Eighth paragraph of this my will.

Tenth: In the event that said Harry J. Robinson, Robert Robinson, Mary Vinson, and Frank C. Scherer, or any or either of them shall have died before me, I direct that the request to each of them as shall have died before my decease, shall go to and form a part of my residuary estate, and be disposed of under and in accordance with the provisions of the

Eighth paragraph of this my will.

Eleventh: I direct that sufficient of my property be converted into cash as soon after my death as conveniently can be done without sacrificing any property of my estate, for the purpose of paying my debts, my funeral expenses, and the expenses of administering my estate and the bequests hereinafter made by me.

Twelfth: I nominate, constitute and appoint my daughter, Estella Callaway, of Inyo County, State of California, the executrix of this my last Will and Testament, and direct that my said daughter, as such executrix, shall not be required to give any bond for the proper discharge of her duties as such executrix.

Thirteenth: I hereby revoke all former, or other wills and testamentary dispositions by me at any time heretofore made.

In Witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name this 14th day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

Elijah Robinson.

The foregoing instrument, consisting of three pages preceding this, was, at the date hereof, by the said Elijah Robinson, signed and published as, and declared to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

H. A. Lamar, Independence, California.
J. C. Cooper, Independence, California.

Filed Nov. 3. 1911.

H. L. Hunter

Clerk.

In the Superior Court
Of the County of Inyo, State of California.
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate
of Elijah Robinson, also known
as E. Robinson.
Deceased. } Certificate of Proof of Will.
C.C.P. Sec. 1308.

I H^m. D. Dehy, Judge of the Superior Court of the
County of Inyo, do hereby certify:—

That on the 27th day of November A.D. 1911, the
annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the
last Will and Testament of Elijah Robinson, also known
as E. Robinson, deceased that the testimony taken on
the probate of said Will has been reduced to writing
and signed by the witnesses respectively, and
filed herein; and from the proof taken, and
the examinations had therein, the said Court
finds as follows:—

That Elijah Robinson, also known as E. Robinson,
died on the third day of November, 1911, A.D. in the
County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of
his death was a resident of said Inyo County.

That the said annexed Will was duly executed by
the said decedent in his life-time, in the County
of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of
W. A. Damar and J. C. Roper the subscribing witnesses
thereto. Also, that he acknowledged the execution
of the same in their presence, and declared the
same to be his last Will and Testament, and
the said witnesses attested the same at his
request, in his presence, and in the presence of
each other. That the said decedent, at the time
of executing said Will as aforesaid, was of the age
of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing
mind, and not under restraint, undue influence, menace
fraud, duress or fraudulent misrepresentations, or in
any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his
Estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed

this certificate and caused the same to be attested
by the Clerk of this Court under the Seal thereof,
this twenty-seventh day of November, 1911. A.D.

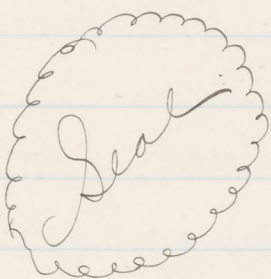
J^m. D. Dehy.

Judge of the Superior Court.

Attest:

H. L. Hunter.

Clerk.



Filed Nov. 27. 1911.

H. L. Hunter

Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen: I, the undersigned, Edwin N. Edwards of the town of Lone Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, do hereby make my last will as follows:

First. I give, devise and bequeath to my niece, Flora Edwards Miller, One thousand (\$1000.⁰⁰) Dollars, to my nephew, J. Franklin Edwards, one thousand (\$1000.⁰⁰) Dollars, to my nephew, Edwin B. Edwards, \$1000.⁰⁰ Dollars, and to my nephew, Freeman Edwards, One thousand (\$1000.⁰⁰) Dollars.

I give, devise and bequeath all other property of every description, personal real estate, and money that I may own at the time of my death, unto my beloved wife, Christiana G. Edwards, and I appoint her sole executrix of this will and direct that no security be required of her.

I declare this to be my last will in the presence of the subscribing witnesses, whom I have requested to subscribe their names as witnesses, and I declare that this will is entirely written, and dated and signed by me at Los Angeles, this seventh day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

Edwin N. Edwards.

Witness

Anasa J. Smith
Sara A. Gallaher.

Filed Feb. 21-1912.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California

In the Matter of the Estate

of
Edwin N. Edwards, also
known as E. N. Edwards,
Deceased.

Certificate of Proof
of Will and the
Facts Surrounding
Subscribing Witnesses.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

I, Wm. D. Lehy, Judge of the said
Superior Court, do hereby certify

that on the 11th day of March
A. D. 1912, the annexed Instrument was
admitted to Probate as the last Will and
Testament of Edwin N. Edwards, also known
as E. N. Edwards, deceased, and from the
proof taken, and the examinations had
therein the said Court finds as follows:

That said Edwin N. Edwards died
on or about the 11th day of February
A. D. 1912, in the County of Los Angeles,
State of California; that at the time
of his death he was a resident of
the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of
California and that the said annexed
Will was executed by said decedent,
in the County of Los Angeles aforesaid
State of California, and signed by the
said testator in the presence of Amasa
Smith and Sara A. Gallaher the
subscribing witnesses thereto; also, that
decedent acknowledged the execution
of the same in their presence, and
declared the same to be his last
Will and Testament; and the said
witnesses attested the same at his
request, in his presence, and in the
presence of each other; that the
said decedent, at the time of
executing said Will, was of the age

of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate. That said will was wholly written and dated by said decedent and is entirely in his own handwriting.

In Witness Whereof I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court under the seal thereof, this 11 day of March A. D. 1912.

Seal

W^m L. Lehy, Judge

Attest: W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Filed Mar. 11, 1912.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Mar. 12, 1912.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen.
 I, Annie J. Mairs of the County of Inyo,
 State of California, of the age of sixty-
 six years, and being of sound and disposing
 mind and memory, and not acting under
 duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence
 of any person whatever, do make, publish
 and declare, this my last will and
 testament, that is to say,

First, I direct that my body be
 decently buried with proper regard to my
 station and condition in life and the
 circumstances of my estate.

Secondly, I direct that my executrix
 and executor hereinafter named, as soon
 as they have sufficient funds in their
 hands, to pay my funeral expenses and
 the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly, I give, devise and bequeath
 to my wife, Laura J. Mairs, all my estate,
 both real and personal, of every name,
 nature and kind whatsoever, owned by me
 at the time of my death.

Fourthly, It is not my intention
 to give, devise or bequeath any part of
 my estate whatever, to my children,
 Hyman J. Mairs, Arthur C. Mairs, William
 Paul Mairs, Howard Mairs and Nellie
 Mairs, or to either of them, for the reason
 that should my wife survive me, she will
 make such provision as she may deem
 best and proper for said children, and
 each of them, and therefore, I bequeath
 and devise nothing to my said children
 or to either of them.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and
 appoint my said wife Laura J. Mairs
 executrix, and my son Arthur C. Mairs
 executor of this my last Will and Testament
 and it is hereby expressly provided that
 no bond or bonds shall be required of
 them or either of them during the process

of administration of my estate.

I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.
In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this sixth day of April, in
the year of our Lord one thousand nine
hundred and seven.

Amie I. Mairs (Seal)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one
page, beside which was, at the date hereof,
by the said Amie I. Mairs, signed, sealed,
and published as, and declared to be, his
last will and testament, in presence of us,
who, at his request, and in his presence,
and in the presence of each other
have subscribed our names as witnesses
thereto.

Ben H. Yandell

Residing at Independence, California.

Geo. S. Wood

Residing at Independence, California

Endorsed County Clerk's Office Filed June 27-1912.
W. L. Hunter, Co. Clerk, Inyo Co., Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California
Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will,
Amie I. Mairs, Deceased. } and the Facts Found
Subscribing Witness.

State of California } ss.

County of Inyo }

I, Wm. D. Lehy, Judge of the said
Superior Court, do hereby certify

That on the 19th day of July A.D.
1912, the annexed Instrument was admitted
to Probate as the last Will and Testament
of Amie I. Mairs, deceased, and from the
proofs taken, and the examinations had
therein, the said Court finds as follows:
That said Amie I. Mairs died on or

about the 13th day of May A. D. 1909
 in the County of Los Angeles, State of
 California; that at the time of his death
 he was a resident of the County of
 Inyo aforesaid, State of California; and
 that the said annexed Will was executed
 by said decedent, in the County of Inyo,
 aforesaid, State of California, and signed
 by the said testator in the presence of
 Ben H. Yausell and Geo. S. Wood the
 subscribing witnesses thereto; also, that he
 acknowledged the execution of the same
 in their presence, and declared the
 same to be his last Will and Testament;
 and the said witnesses attested the
 same at his request, in his presence and
 in the presence of each other; that the
 said decedent, at the time of executing
 said Will, was of the age of eighteen
 years and upwards, was of sound and
 disposing mind, and not under
 duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence
 nor in any respect incompetent to devise
 and bequeath his estate.

Do Witness Whereof, I have signed
 this certificate, and caused the same
 to be attested by the Clerk of said Court,
 under the seal thereof, this 19th day
 of July A. D. 1912.

Wm. D. Dehy, Judge
 Seal Attest: W. L. Hunter, Clerk

Filed Jul 19-1912.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Jul. 19-1912.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Know All Men by these Presents

That I, Sarah E. Drake, of Bishop County of Inyo, State of California being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and of legal age, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of any kind, or from any person or persons whatsoever, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First. I direct that my body be properly buried according to my standing in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly. I direct that all my just debts, my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness be paid out of any personal property that I may have at my death.

Third. If I have not heretofore disposed of the same by deed, I give to my son, Charles V. Drake, those certain lots situated in the Town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, and described as Lots 2, 3, 6 and 7 of Block E of the Academy Addition to the Town of Bishop, together with the house, improvements, appurtenances and the furniture and furnishings in said house.

Fourth. I give all the rest, residue and remainder of any estate that I may own or possess at the time of my death, to be shared, share and share alike between my daughter, Lillian L. Lindap, my daughter Pitta M. Johnson, and my grand-daughter, Alice L. Drake, the daughter of George Drake, deceased.

It is my Will and I so declare that in case that any one of the legatees herein named should contest this my last Will and Testament, that said legatee or legatees shall be bequeathed, the sum of One Dollar each, and that the residue of the said estate shall go to the rest of the legatees herein named.

Lastly I hereby nominate and appoint Mack Watterson of Bishop, California the executor of this my last Will and Testament. In case, for any cause, he cannot act as such executor, I appoint H. W. Watterson in his stead, and I hereby revoke any former wills by me made.

In Witness whereof, I have herewith set my hand and seal this 30th day of

September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven

Sarah E. Drake

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two pages, including the page signed by the testator, was, at the date thereof, by Sarah E. Drake, the maker thereof, signed in your presence, and in the presence of each of us, and at the time of her subscribing said instrument she declared that it was her Will, and at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other we have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Hell Yandell

Residing at Bishop Inyo Co. Cal.

White Smith

Residing at Bishop Calif.

(Endorsed) County Clerk's Office, Filed Jun 18/12

W. L. Hunter, Co. Clerk Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo

State of California

Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Sarah E. Drake

deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will, and the
Facts Found, Subscribing Witness.

State of California

County of Inyo

I, Wm D. Dehy, Judge of the

said Superior Court, do hereby certify

That on the day of A D 1912, the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Sarah E. Drake, deceased, and from the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows: -

That said, Sarah E. Drake died on or about the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912. at Reno, in the State of Nevada; that at the time of her death she was a resident of the County of Inyo aforesaid, State of California; and that the said annexed Will was executed by said decedent, in the County of Inyo aforesaid State of California and signed by the said testatrix in the presence of Hell Yandell and White Smith, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that she

acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be her last Will and Testament; and the said witnesses attested the same at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 30th day of July A.D. 1912.

Wm D. Deby

Judge

Seal

Attest

W. L. Hunter Clerk

Filed Jul 30/1912

W. L. Hunter Co. Clerk

Inyo Co Cal,

Entered July 30 1912

W. L. Hunter

Clerk.

Independence Cal. Apr. 4th 1912.
 I Frank Whitmore at my decease I give to
 Paul Guco of Independence Cal. five Thousand
 dollars of my personal estate
 Frank Whitmore.

(Endorsed) No 461
 County Clerk's Office
 Filed

Oct 1, 1912.
 W. L. Hunter, Co. Clerk
 Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
 in and for the County of Inyo,

In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of
 Frank Whitmore } Will and the facts found.
 Deceased. }

State of California }
 County of Inyo } ss.

I, Wm. D. Dehy, Judge of the
 said Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on the
 19th day of October, A.D. 1912, the annexed instrument
 was admitted, to probate as the last will and
 testament of Frank Whitmore, deceased, and from
 the proofs taken and the examinations had therein,
 the said Court finds as follows: —

That said Frank Whitmore died on or about
 the 18th day of September, 1912 in the County of
 Inyo, State of California, that at the time of his
 death, he was a resident of the County of Inyo,
 State of California, that the said annexed will was
 duly executed by the said decedent in his life-
 time, (the same having been entirely written, dated
 and signed by said Frank Whitmore in his life-
 time), in the County of Inyo, State of California,
 that the said decedent, at the time of executing
 said will, was over the age of eighteen years, to wit:
 of the age of about sixty-nine years, was of sound
 and disposing mind, and not under duress,

menace, fraud, or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent, to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 19th day of October, 1912.

W. M. D. Dehy

Judge of said Superior Court

(Seal)

Attest

W. L. Hunter - Clerk

(Endorsed)

No. 46

In the Superior Court of the State of California,

In and for the County of Inyo,
In the Matter of the Estate of
Frank Whitmore

deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will, and the Facts Found
County Clerk's Office

Filed Oct. 19, 1912

W. L. Hunter Co. Clerk
Inyo Co. Cal.

— Will —

In the Name of God, Amen:

I, Clara A. Scott, of Bishop County of Inyo, State of California, of legal age, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any kind, or from any person or persons whatsoever, nor under the influence or persuasion or under the representation of any one, but acting on my own knowledge, and with my mind fully made up concerning the disposition of my property, do make and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner following, viz:—

First, I direct that my body be decently buried without undue ceremony, or ostentation, but with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Second: I direct that my executor or executrix hereinafter named as soon as he or she shall have sufficient fund in his or her hands out of my estate that he or she pay my funeral expenses, and expenses of my last sickness, and all of my just debts.

Third: I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter, Ida May Lambert, the sum of One Dollar, and to my daughter Louella M. Chie, all of the balance of the estate of which I may die possessed or of which I may be entitled to the possession of, and all property of every kind, name and nature, whether the same be real, personal or mixed, to have and to hold to the said Louella M. Chie forever, with the free and full use and benefit for herself, and at her death the remainder of said estate to descend to the lineal heirs of said Louella M. Chie.

Fourth, I hereby name and appoint my daughter, Louella M. Chie, of Bishop County of Inyo, State of California, the executrix of this my last Will and Testament, to serve without bonds, and in case for any reason that she may be unable to serve, I hereby appoint Mark L. Waterson, of the County of Inyo, to serve as such executor also without bonds.

Fifth, I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the Twenty-sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eleven.

Clara A. Scott (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of two pages, including the page signed by the testatrix, was, at the date thereof, by Clara A. Scott, the maker thereof, signed in our presence, and in the presence of each of us, and at the time of her subscribing said instrument she declared that it was her Will, and at her request, and in her presence and in the presence of each other we have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Fred R. Smith residing at Bishop California,
County of Inyo State of California,
Andrew Bell residing at Bishop Calif.,
County of Inyo, State of California.

(Endorsed) No 462

Superior Court
County of Inyo

In the Matter of the Estate of Clara A. Scott
Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will and the Facts Found,
County Clerks Office
Filed

Nov 22 1912.

W. L. Hunter Co Clerk
Inyo Co Cal.

In the Name of God, Amen; I, Joe Stoffel of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of sixty-two years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish, and declare this my last will and testament in manner following, that is to say:

First, I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life, and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly I direct that my executor hereinafter named as soon as he has sufficient funds in his hands, pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly, I give and bequeath to any person who may prove herself to be my wife the sum of one dollar, to be paid out of any money or other personal property remaining in the possession of my said executor after payment of the above mentioned expenses.

Fourthly, I give and bequeath to Nellie M. Fitzhugh residing at Olancha, County of Inyo, State of California, my homestead entry consisting of the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of the S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 18 and the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of the S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17 T 19 S.R. 37 E. M.D.M. together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Fifthly, I give and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, both real and personal to Maggie Stoffel, (an Indian)

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint C. Fitzhugh of Olancha, County of Inyo, State of California, the executor of this my last will and testament, without bonds and direct that no bonds or security be required, of said executor and I hereby revoke all former will by me made.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 12 day of April 1912.

Joe Stoffel

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one page besides this was, at the date hereof, by the said Joe Stoffel, signed and published as, and declared to be, his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Wm W. Woods

Residing at Los Angeles Calif

R. W. Kenny

Residing at Los Angeles Cal

(Endorsed,

457.

Last Will and Testament of Joe Stoffel

County Clerk's Office

Filed Aug 27 1912.

W. L. Hunter Co. Clerk

Jury Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the State of California
 In and for the County of Jury.
 In the Matter of the Estate of } Certificate of Proof of Will
 Joe Stoffel, deceased } and Facts Found.
 State of California }
 County of Jury } ss.

I, Wm. D. Dehy, Judge of the Superior Court of said County do hereby certify that on the 29th day of November, 1912, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will of Joe Stoffel, deceased; that the testimony taken on the probate of said will, reduced to writing in this Court, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein the said Court finds as follows:

That said Joe Stoffel died on or about the twelfth day of July 1912, in the County of Jury, State of California; that at the time of his death, he was a resident of the said County of Jury, State of California; that the said annexed will was duly executed by the said decedent in his lifetime, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California and signed by the testator in the presence of Wm. W. Wood and R. W. Kenny, the subscribing witnesses thereto; that he acknowledged the execution of the same, in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will; that the said witnesses attested the same at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other; and that the said decedent, at the time of executing said will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace or fraud or undue influence, and was not, in any respect, incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this 30th day of November 1912. Wm. D. Dehy Judge
 Seal Attest W. L. Hunter, Clerk of Superior Court.

(Endorsed)

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Superior Court, County of Inyo,

State of California

In the Matter of the Estate of

Joe Stoffel

Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will
and Facts Found,

Bishop Inyo Co - Calif

5th June 1913.

This is my last will and testament and is written dated and signed with my own hand: I give bequeath and devise all my property of every kind and nature, to my beloved wife, Eliza Watterson. I intentionally omit to provide for our children, Wilfred W. Watterson, Mark I. Watterson, Isabelle S. Watterson, Elizabeth A. Watterson, Elsie M. Watterson and Mary C. Watterson. I also intentionally omit to provide for any future child that may be born to us. I appoint my said wife sole executrix of this will and direct that no bond or other security be required of her, and that she shall not be required to file any account, or inventory and appraisement. I appoint her guardian of the person of our child

Mary C. Watterson.

Wm. Watterson.

Filed Jan. 24 1913, W.L. Hunter Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo
State of Calif., Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
William Watterson

Deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will, and the
Facts Found.

State of California } ss
County of Inyo }

I, Wm. D. Dehy, Judge of the
said Superior Court, do hereby certify.

That on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1913, the
annexed Instrument was admitted to probate as the last
Will and Testament of said William Watterson, deceased
and from the proof taken, and the examinations had
therein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That said, William Watterson died on or about the
22nd day of December, A. D. 1912 in the said County of
Inyo State of California; that at the time of his
death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo,
State of California; and that the said annexed Will
was executed by said decedent, in the said County
of Inyo, State of California, and signed by the said
testator. That the said Will was entirely written,
dated, and signed by the hand of decedent;
that the said decedent, at the time of executing said

Will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards,
was of sound and disposing mind, and not under
duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any
respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate,
and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of
said Court, under the seal thereof, this 17th
day of February, A. D. 1913.

Wm D. Leahy
Judge

Attest

(Seal)

W. L. Hunter

Clerk.

By F. D. Harrison Deputy Clerk.

(Endorsed)

No. 468.

Superior Court, of the State of California, County of Inyo.
In the Matter of the Estate of William Watterson
Deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will and the Facts Found.

Filed, Feb 17 A. D. 1913.

W. L. Hunter Clerk

By F. D. Harrison Deputy Clerk.

Entered Feb. 17th., 1913

W. L. Hunter Clerk.

By F. D. Harrison Deputy Recorder

In the Name of God, Amen;

I, Frances A. Birchm, of the Town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of eighty years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under restraint, duress, menace, fraud, or under the influence or representation of any person whatsoever, do hereby make, publish and declare this my last will and testament, in the manner following, that is to say;

Firstly: I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly: I direct that my executrix hereinafter named, as soon as she shall have sufficient funds in her hands, pay my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last illness, and all my just debts.

Thirdly: I give, devise and bequeath to my grandsons, Ernest Laird, Lester Laird and Pollin Laird, all of Bakersfield, Kern County, California, sons of my deceased daughter, Etta Laird, the sum of Ten Dollars each.

Fourthly: I give, devise and bequeath to my grandsons, James Franklin Birchm and William Harold Birchm, sons of my deceased son, James G. W. Birchm, to be divided equally between them, share and share alike, all the residue of my property of every kind, nature and description whatsoever, whether real, personal or mixed, owned by me at the time of my death, and including all property to which I am entitled as the surviving widow, heir at law, and devisee of the last will and testament of J. G. Birchm, deceased, said property being now in course of administration by the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Inyo.

Fifthly: I hereby appoint Frankie G. Leibly, of the City of Seattle, County of King, State of Washington, the executrix of this, my last will and testament, and direct that she shall not be required to give any bonds for the performance of her duties as such executrix.

Sixthly: I hereby revoke all former wills by

me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this thirtieth (30th) day of December, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and eleven (1911).

Frances A. Birchum (Seal)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one full page, besides this, was at the date thereof, by the said Frances A. Birchum, signed, sealed and published as and declared to be her last will and testament, in the presence of us, who, at her request and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

W. L. Rowan, Residing at Bishop, California,

M. L. Waterson, Residing at Bishop, California.

(Endorsed.) 470.

Last Will and Testament of Frances A. Birchum

Filed, Feb. 27th, 1913.

W. L. Hunter County Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the State of California.

In and for the County of Inyo.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Frances A. Birchum

deceased

Certificate of Proof of Will
and the Facts found.

State of California }
County of Inyo. } ss

I, Wm. D. Lehy, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:—

That on the seventeenth (17th) day of March, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (1913), the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Frances A. Birchum, deceased, and from the proofs taken and examination had thereon, the said Court finds as follows:—

1 That Frances A. Birchum died on the twenty second (22nd.) day of February, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, in

the Town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California;

2. That at the time of her death the said Frances A. Berchum was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California, and left estate therein;

3. That the annexed will was duly executed by said decedent, in her lifetime, to-wit: - on December thirtieth (30th) A. D. one thousand nine hundred and eleven (1911), in said County of Inyo, State of California;

4. That at said last mentioned time and place the said will was signed by the said testatrix in the presence of W. L. Rowan, and M. I. Watterson, the subscribing witnesses thereto, that said witnesses, at the time of attesting the execution of said will, were and are now competent;

5. That said Testatrix acknowledged the execution of said will in the presence of said witnesses, and declared the same to be her last will and testament, and said witnesses attested the same at the request of said testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other;

6. That said decedent, at the time of executing said will, was of the age of Eighty-one (81) years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any other respect incompetent to devise and bequeath her estate;

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused it to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this seventeenth day of March, A. D. 1913.

Wm D. Dehy,

Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Inyo.

(Seal)

Attest

W. L. Hunter

Clerk of said Court.

(Endorsed)

In the Superior Court of the State of
California, in and for the County of Inyo,
In the Matter of the Estate
of Frances Archim

Deceased,

Certificate of Proof of Will,
and the facts found.

Filed March 17th 1913,

W. L. Hunter, County Clerk.

Entered March 24th, 1913

W. L. Hunter, County Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen:
I, J. C. Harness, being of lawful age
and of sound and disposing mind and
memory and not acting under duress,
menace, fraud, or undue influences of
any person or persons, do make, publish and
declare this my last Will and Testament
in the manner following, that is to say:-
I give and bequeath all the property
both real and personal, wherever situate, of
which I may be seized or possessed, to
my wife, Mary Ann Harness and to my
daughter Zelda Phedra Harness, share and
share alike.

I hereby nominate and appoint
my wife, Mary Ann Harness, the
executrix of this my last Will and Testament
and direct that she be not required to
give bonds.

I hereby revoke all former wills by
me made.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this seventh day
of March, in the year of our Lord, Nineteen
Hundred and Thirteen.

J. C. Harness (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page, including this, was at the date hereof by the said J. C. Harness, signed and sealed and published as and declared to us to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Will L. Smith

Residing at Bishop, California.

J. E. Vermilyea

Residing at 689 Park View Ave., Los Angeles, California.

(Enacted) Filed Apr. 4-1913.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo,
State of California.
In the Matter of the Estate
of

J. C. Harness, Deceased.

Certificate of Probate
Will and the Acts Comd.

State of California } ss.

County of Inyo }

I, Wm. D. Reby, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:

That on the 5th day of May, 1913, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of J. C. Harness deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein the said Court finds as follows:

That said J. C. Harness died on or about the 7th day of March, 1913, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California that the said annexed Will was duly executed by the said decedent, in his lifetime in the County of Los Angeles, aforesaid, State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of

Will L. Smith and J. E. Vermilyea, the
 subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he
 acknowledged the execution of the same
 in their presence, and declared the same
 to be his last Will and Testament, and the
 said witnesses attested the same at his
 request in his presence and in the presence
 of each other; that the said decedent
 at the time of executing said Will, was
 of the age of 65 years and upwards
 was of sound and disposing mind, and
 not under duress, menace, fraud or undue
 influence, nor in any respect incompetent
 to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed
 this certificate and caused the same
 to be attested by the Clerk of said Court
 under the seal thereof this 5th day of
 May, 1913.

[Signature]

W^m D. Dwy, Judge

Attest: W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Filed May 5th 1913.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered May 5th 1913.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Name of God, Amen
 I Alexander R. Miller of Bishop, County
 of Inyo, State of California, now the age of
 fifty years, and being of sound and disposing
 mind and memory, and not acting under
 duress, menace, fraud or undue influence of
 any person or persons whatsoever, do make,
 publish and declare this my last Will
 and Testament in following manner, that is
 to say:

1st. That my body be decently
 buried according to my station and condition
 in life; that my funeral expenses and
 all my just debts be paid as soon
 after my death as convenient.

2nd. I give and bequeath to any
 brother or sister that I may have living
 at the time of my death, or to the
 legal heir of any brother or sister
 establishing such relationship, the sum
 of One Dollar;

3rd. I give, devise and bequeath
 all the rest, residue and remainder
 of my estate that I may have or
 possessed before my death whether the
 same be real, personal or mixed to my
 friend Frank T. Andrews of Bishop,
 County of Inyo, State of California.

I hereby nominate and appoint
 Frank T. Andrews, the executor of this
 my last Will and Testament, and he shall
 not be required to give bonds as such
 Executor of my estate, and I hereby revoke
 all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and seal, this fifth day
 of January, One thousand Nine hundred and
 Eleven.

Alexander R. Miller (Seal)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of
 one page, was at the date thereof, by Alexander

A. Miller, the maker thereof, signed in my presence, and in the presence of each of us, and at the time of his subscribing said instrument he declared that it was his will, and at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other we have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

White Smith, residing at Bishop, Calif.
O. V. MacFarlane, residing at Bishop, Calif.

Endorsed 485. Will. Alexander R. Miller
Dated Jan. 5th 1911.

Filed Jul 3 1913 W. L. Hunter Co. Clerk,
Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
In and for the County of Inyo.
In the Matter of the Estate
of
Alexander R. Miller,
Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of
Will and the facts found.

State of California }
County of Inyo }

I, Wm. D. Deby, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify:
That on the twenty-first (21st) day of July A. D. one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (1913) the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Alexander R. Miller deceased, and from the proof taken and examination had therein, the said Court finds as follows: -

1. That Alexander R. Miller died on the second (2nd) day of May A. D. one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (1913) in the Town of Bishop, County of Inyo, State of California.

2. That at the time of ~~his~~ death the said Alexander R. Miller was a

resident of the County of Inyo, State of California, and left estate therein;

3. That the annexed will was duly executed by said decedent in his life-time, to-wit: on January fifth (5th) A.D. one thousand nine hundred and eleven (1911) in said County of Inyo, State of California;

4. That at said last mentioned time and place the said will was signed by the said testator in the presence of White Smith and O. V. MacFarlane, the subscribing witnesses thereto, that said witnesses at the time of attesting the execution of said will, were and are now competent.

5. That said testator acknowledged the execution of said will in the presence of said witnesses, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and said witnesses attested the same at the request of said testator in his presence and in the presence of each other.

6. That said decedent, at the time of executing said will, was of the age of fifty-five (55) years and upwards was of sound and disposing mind, and not acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, nor in any other respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused it to be attested by the Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof this twenty-first (21st) day of July A. D. 1913.

W^m D. Lehy

Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Inyo.

Attest: W. D. Hunter, Clerk of said Court.

Filed Jul 21-1913 W. D. Hunter, Clerk.
Entered Jul 21-1913 W. D. Hunter, Clerk.

In the Name of God, Given: I Alex. McSever of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of seventy-six years, and being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and not acting under duress, menaces, fraud, or undue influence of any person whatever, do make, publish, and declare this my last will and testament in manner following, that is to say:-

First. I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station on life and the circumstances of my estate.

Second. I direct that my executrix hereinafter named, as soon as she shall have sufficient funds in her hands pay my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last sickness.

Thirdly. To Mary Utter, of Big Pine, County of Inyo, State of California, I give, devise and bequeath all of my estate, both real and personal of every nature and character and whatsoever situated, owned or possessed by me at the time of my death.

Lastly. I hereby nominate and appoint the said Mary Utter, the sole executrix of this my last will and testament, without bond or bonds.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty-fourth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Alex. McSever (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of the preceding portion of this page, and more or less, was, at the date thereof, by the said Alex. McSever signed and sealed and published as, and declared to be his last will and testament, in presence of us, who at his

request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

C. E. Lorraine

Residing at Bishop, Inyo Co. Cal.

Oscar Buntingham

Residing at Bishop, Inyo Co. Cal.

(Endorsed) No. 490

Last Will and Testament of Alex. M^c Keever,

Dated July 19th 1913

Filed Aug. 4th 1913. W. L. Hunter, Co. Clerk, Inyo Co. Cal.

State of California } ss.

County of Inyo }

I, W^m D. Ledy, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California, do hereby certify,

That on the twenty-fifth day of August A. D. 1913, the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last will and testament of Alex. M^c Keever (also called Alexander M^c Keever) deceased; and from the proofs taken, and the examination had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Alex M^c Keever (also called Alexander M^c Keever) died on or about the thirtieth day of July A. D. 1913 in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death he was a resident of the said County of Inyo, State of California.

That said annexed will was duly executed by said decedent in his lifetime in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of C. E. Lorraine and Oscar Buntingham, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and

the said witnesses attested the same at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said will as aforesaid, was over the age of eighteen years, was of sound mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the Seal thereof this 25th day of August A. D. 1913.

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Judge of the Superior Court.
Attest: W. L. Hunter,
Clerk.

Filed Aug. 25- 1913.
W. L. Hunter, Clerk.
Entered Aug. 25- 1913.
W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Indefensum, Calif July 17th, 1913
 In the Name of God, Amen:
 I, John A. Lauck, of the County of Inyo,
 State of California, of the age of nearly two
 years, and being of sound and disposing mind
 and memory and not acting under duress,
 menace, fraud or undue influence of any
 person or persons, do make and declare this
 my last Will and Testament in manner
 following, that is to say:

First: I direct that my body be
 decently buried with proper regard to my
 station and condition in life and the
 circumstances of my estate.

Secondly, I give and bequeath to
 Thomas Kehoe all my estate both real and
 personal of whatever kind and description
 whatever.

John A. Lauck (Seal)
 The foregoing instrument was at the
 date hereof by the said John A. Lauck, signed
 and sealed and published and declared to
 be his last Will and Testament in presence of
 us, who at his request and in his presence
 and in the presence of each other have
 subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

W. L. Hunter Residence Indefensum, Calif.
 C. J. MacFarlane Residence Indefensum, Calif.
 (Endorsed) Filed Sep 29-1913.

W. L. Hunter, Co. Clerk Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
 In and for the County of Inyo.
 In the Matter of the Estate
 of John A. Lauck, deceased. Certificate of Proof of
 Will and Test. Found.

State of California } ss.
 County of Inyo }

D. W. Dehy, Judge of the said
 Superior Court, do hereby certify, that on the 8th
 day of November, 1913, the annexed
 instrument was admitted to probate as the last

will and testament of John A. Laul, deceased; and from the proofs taken and the examinations had therein, the said Court finds as follows:-

That John A. Laul died on or about the 26th day of September, 1913, in the County of Inyo, State of California, and at the time of his death was a resident of said County of Inyo, State of California.

That the said annexed will was duly executed by said decedent in his lifetime, in the County of Inyo, State of California, in the presence of W. L. Hunter and C. D. MacFarlane, the subscribing witnesses thereto; also that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and the said witnesses attested the same at his request and in his presence; that the said decedent, at the time of executing said will as aforesaid, was over the age of eighteen years, was of sound mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud, or undue influence, or in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof I have signed this certificate and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of this Court, under the seal thereof, this 8th day of November, 1913.

W. L. Hunter
 Judge of said Superior Court.
 Attest: W. L. Hunter,
 Clerk.

Filed Nov. 8, 1913.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Nov. 8, 1913.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Last Will and Testament of Martha S. Olds.

I, Martha S. Olds, of the County of Inyo, State of California, of the age of eighty-three years, and being of sound mind and disposing memory, and not acting under restraint, duress, menace, fraud, or under the influence or representation of any person whatsoever, do hereby make, publish and declare this my last last will and testament, in the manner following, that is to say:

Firstly: I direct that my body be decently buried with proper regard to my station and condition in life and the circumstances of my estate.

Secondly: I direct that my executor, hereinafter named, as soon as he shall have sufficient funds in his hands, pay my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last illness, and all my just debts.

Thirdly: I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter Lilly Wells, residing about two and one half miles north west of Bishop, Inyo County, California, the sum of Ten Dollars.

Fourthly: I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter Nettie Bulpitt, residing about one and one half miles west of Bishop, Inyo County, California the sum of Ten Dollars.

Fifthly: I give, devise and bequeath to my grandson, Sydney P. Thornton, minor son of my deceased son, William R. Thornton, residing in Round Valley, Inyo County, California, the sum of Five Dollars.

Sixthly: I give, devise and bequeath to my grandson, Cecil R. Thornton, minor son of my deceased son, William R. Thornton, residing in Round Valley, Inyo County, California, the sum of Five Dollars.

Seventhly: I give, devise and bequeath to my son, Charles L. Olds, residing about eight miles south of Bishop, Inyo County, California, all the rest residue and remainder of my property of every kind, nature and description whatsoever, whether real, personal or mixed owned by me at the time of my death; including all property

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to which I am entitled as the surviving widow
and heir at law of David Olds, Deceased, said
property including my homestead containing
about one hundred twenty seven acres in the
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 28, Township 6 South, Range
31 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian,
in Round Valley, Inyo County, California;
said property being now in the course of
administration under the direction of the Superior
Court of the State of California, in and for the
County of Inyo.

Eighthly: I hereby appoint Charles L. Olds,
of the County of Inyo, State of California, the executor
of this my last will and testament, and direct that
he shall not be required to give any bonds for
the performance of his duties as such executor.

Ninthly: I hereby revoke all former wills by
me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this sixteenth (16th) day of January,
A.D. one thousand nine hundred and fourteen
(1914).

her
Martha D. X Olds (Seal)
mark

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one full page,
besides this, was at the date thereof, by the
said Martha D. Olds signed, sealed and published
as and declared to be her last will and testament,
in the presence of us, who, at her request and in
her presence, and in the presence of each other,
have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Leicester C. Hall residing at Bishop, Inyo Co. Calif.

J. W. Shute M. D. residing at Bishop, Inyo Co. Calif.

Lillie A. Wells residing near Bishop, Inyo Co. Calif.

Nettie P. Bulpitt residing near Bishop, Inyo Co. Calif.

(Endorsed) Last Will and Testament of
Martha D. Olds,

Jan'y. 16th 1914,
Filed, Jan 20, 1914,

W. L. Hunter Co Clerk
Inyo Co Cal.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
 in and for the County of Inyo,
 In the Matter of the Estate of }
 Martha D. Alds } Certificate of Proof of Will
 Deceased } and the Facts Found.
 State of California, ss
 County of Inyo, ss

I, Wm. D. Dehy, Judge of the
 said Superior Court do hereby certify:

That on the sixth (6th) day of February, A. D.
 one thousand nine hundred and fourteen (1914), the
 annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the
 will and testament of Martha D. Alds, deceased,
 and from the proofs taken, and examination had
 therein, the said Court finds as follows:—

1. That Martha D. Alds died on the seventeenth
 (17th) day of January, A. D. one thousand nine hundred
 and fourteen (1914), in the County of Inyo, State of California;
2. That at the time of her death the said Martha D.
 Alds was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of
 California, and left estate therein;
3. That the annexed will was duly executed
 by said decedent in her lifetime, to-wit:— on
 January sixteenth (16th) A. D. one thousand nine
 hundred and fourteen (1914), in said County of
 Inyo, State of California.
4. That at said last mentioned time and place
 the said will was signed by the said testatrix
 in the presence of Leicester G. Hall, J. W. Shute, M. D.,
 Lillis A. Weller, and Nettie P. Bulfinch, the
 subscribing witnesses thereto, that said witnesses,
 at the time of attesting the execution of said will,
 were and are now competent;
5. That said testatrix acknowledged the
 execution of said will in the presence of said
 witnesses, and declared the same to be her last
 will and testament, and said witnesses
 attested the same at the request of said
 testatrix in her presence, and in the presence
 of each other;
6. That said decedent, at the time of
 executing said will, was of the age of

Eighty-two years (82 yrs) and upwards,
was of sound and disposing mind, and not
acting under duress, menace, fraud, or undue
influence, nor in any other respect incompetent
to devise and bequeath her estate;

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this
certificate and caused it to be attested by the
Clerk of said Court, under the seal thereof, this
sixth (6th) day of February A. D. 1914.

W. D. Dehy

Judge of the Superior Court of the State
of California, in and for the County
of Inyo.

(Seal)

Attest

W. L. Hunter

Clerk of said Court.

Filed Feb. 6, 1914

W. L. Hunter Co. Clerk

Inyo Co. Cal.

Entered Feb. 6, 1914

in Vol A. Wills page 371.

W. L. Hunter

County Clerk.

Last Will and Testament of George Machin.

In the Name of God Amen: I, George Machin, of the County of Inyo, State of California, of legal age, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, full not acting under ^{any} duress, fraud or undue influence of any person or persons, my mind fully made up as to disposition of my property, hereby make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in the manner following, that is to say:—

First: I direct my body to be decently buried according to my station in life; that my funeral expenses and expenses of my last sickness and all of my just debts be paid.

Second. I give and bequeath to my son, George Machin, the sum of \$10 and I give and bequeath to my son, Marritt Machin, the sum of \$10. All the rest, residue and remainder of my estate of which I may die possessed, whether the same be real, personal or mixed, I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Elizabeth Machin, to have and to hold unto said Elizabeth Machin, her heirs and assigns forever.

Third. I hereby appoint my said wife Elizabeth Machin as the Executrix of this my last Will and Testament and it is my wish and I so order that the said Elizabeth Machin shall serve as such Executrix without bonds of any kind and I further direct that she shall have the entire right to dispose of any property whether the same be real or personal as to her may seem right without order of the Court for disposing of the same.

Fourth. I hereby appoint White Smith to act as the attorney for the Executrix.

Fifth. In case he should not desire to act then I leave the appointment of the attorney to my said Executrix.

Sixth: I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at the City of Los Angeles, State of California, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fourteen.
George Macham.

The foregoing Instrument, consisting of one page besides this, was at the last hereof by the said George Macham, signed and sealed and published as aforesaid declared to be his last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

White Smith
Residing at Bishop, California
Walter A. Clarke.
Residing at Bishop, California.

(Endorsed) 501 - Last Will and Testament of George Macham. - Filed Mar 13-1914
W. L. Hunter, Co. Clerk - Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the County of Inyo, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of
George Macham, Deceased.

Certificate of Proof
of Will and the
Facts Found.
Subscribing Witnesses.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo. }

I Wm. D. Lohy, Judge of the said Superior Court, do hereby certify that on the 8th day of April A.D. 1914 the annexed instrument was admitted to probate as the last Will and Testament of said George Macham, deceased, and from

the proofs taken, and the examinations had therein. The said Court finds as follows:

That said George Maccham died on or about the 23rd day of February A.D. 1914 in the County of Los Angeles, State of California; that at the time of his death he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California aforesaid, and that the said Annexed Will was executed by said decedent, in the said County of Inyo aforesaid State of California, and signed by the said testator in the presence of White Smith and Walter R. Clark, the subscribing witnesses thereto, also, that he acknowledged the execution of the same in their presence, and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament; and the said witnesses attested the same at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other; that the said decedent at the time of executing said Will, was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this certificate, and caused the same to be attested by the Clerk of said Court under the seal thereof, this 8th day of April, A.D. 1914.

Seal

Wm. D. Dwyer, Judge
Attest: W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Filed Apr. 8, 1914.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered Apr. 9, 1914.

W. L. Hunter, Clerk.

Will

Sept. 21, 1912.

$\frac{1}{3}$ of all property to Mrs H. A. Pray 17 Chesham Road,
Brookline, Mass.

$\frac{1}{3}$ of all property to Miss Alma Peterson Fort Bragg,
Calif

$\frac{1}{3}$ of all property to H. L. S. Robinson, Ballarat, Calif.
H. L. S. Robinson to be administrator.

In case Mrs. H. A. Pray does not outline me—
Mrs H. B. Gram of same address to receive $\frac{1}{3}$ and
in case in case she does not Mrs T. W. Davis,
125 Rich Ave, Mt. Vernon N. Y. to receive the $\frac{1}{3}$.

In case of my death please notify B. P. O. E. Baker
City, Oregon and Mr H. B. Gram 17 Chesham Road,
and burn my letters.

Chester A. Pray.

Filed Jun 28, 1913, W. L. Hunter Co. Clerk, Inyo Co. Cal.

Sept 21, 1912.

Down $\frac{2}{3}$ of the Monte Cristo and Monetary
Claims, $\frac{2}{3}$ of the Warm Spring water right, and all
the equipment except 1 light A tent and bolt of
new canvas.

Down $\frac{1}{2}$ of the Queen of Sheba and Monte Cristo
Ex. joining the Monte Cristo

C. A. Pray.

Filed Jun 28, 1913, W. L. Hunter Co. Clerk
Inyo Co. Cal.

In the Superior Court of the State of California,
In and for the County of Inyo.

In the Matter of the Estate of }
Chester A Pray } Certificate of Proof of Will,
Deceased } and Facts Found.

State of California } ss.
County of Inyo }

L. Wm. D. Dehy, Judge of said

Superior Court, do hereby certify that on the 22nd day of June, 1914, the annexed Instrument was admitted to Probate as the last Will and Testament of Chester A. Pray, deceased, and from the proofs taken and the examination had therein, the said Court finds as follows:

That said Chester A. Pray died on or about the 8th day of June, 1913, in the County of Inyo, State of California, that at the time of his death, he was a resident of the County of Inyo, State of California, and left estate therein; that the said annexed will was wholly written, dated and signed in the County of Inyo, State of California, by the said decedent in his own handwriting and by his own hand, and that the same was duly executed by the said decedent; and that the said decedent, at the time of executing said Will was of the age of eighteen years and upwards, was of sound and disposing mind, and not under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, nor in any respect incompetent to devise and bequeath his estate.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed this Certificate this 22nd day of June, 1914.

Wm. D. Dehy,
Judge of said Superior Court.

Attest

W. I. Hunter

Clerk.

Filed, June 23, 1914,

W. I. Hunter, Clerk.

Entered, June, 23, 1914

W. I. Hunter, Clerk.

